



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.4729 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 04.03.2026

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE. K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN

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1.Pandiyarajan
2.Yasotharan
3.Veeraputhiran
4.Sundar

... Petitioners

Vs.

The State of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by the Inspector of Police,
Usilampatti Town Police Station,
Madurai District.
(Crime No.72 of 2026)

... Respondent

For Petitioners : Mr.N.Jeyaram Sidharth

For Respondent : Mr.P.Kottaisamy
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

PRAYER in all cases :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No. 72 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER: The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent police



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for the offences punishable under Sections 296(b), 115(2), 118(1) & 351 (3) of BNS, in Crime No.72 of 2026, on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.The case of the prosecution is that on 18.02.2026 the defacto complainant, who is doing MIC set Business in his Village was abused by the accused persons and also attacked by them. Hence, he sustained injuries and admitted in the hospital. Hence, the case has been registered for the above said offences.

3.The learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners have been falsely implicated in this case and he is an innocent person. He would further submit that due to business rivalry there is a dispute between the petitioners's group and also the victim's group. In which there is a wordy altercation which leads to the assault and resulted to the injuries to both parties. Now the injured has been discharged from the hospital. Hence, he seeks this Court to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) appearing for the respondent on instructions submitted that there is no previous case pending



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against A1 and A2. But, there is previous case against the A3 and A4. He also submitted that due to the dispute between the parties they made wordy altercation and there is serious allegations made against the petitioners. There is case in counter case has been registered in Crime No.71 of 2026. Hence, he sought dismissal of the petition.

5.Considering the submissions of the learned counsel for the petitioners, there is case in counter has been registered and injured were discharged from the hospital, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners with certain conditions.

6.Accordingly, this criminal original petition is allowed and the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on their appearance, on condition that the petitioners shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) each with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the Learned Judicial Magistrate No.I, Usilampatti, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order made ready and on further conditions that:

[a]the petitioners and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of



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their Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

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[b]the petitioners shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., and 5.30 p.m., for a period of fifteen days and thereafter, as and when required.

[c]the petitioners shall not tamper with the evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[d]the petitioners shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

[e]On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioners in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners are released on bail by the learned Magistrate/Trial Court himself as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in P.K.Shaji vs. State of Kerala [(2005)AIR SCW 5560].

[f]If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS.

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To

1.The Judicial Magistrate No.I, Usilampatti.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Usilampatti Town Police Station,
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3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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