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CRL OP(MD). No.5698 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 27/03/2026

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. DHANABAL

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1. Sathishkumar,
2. Muniyammal,

... Petitioners/Accused

Vs

State of Tamilnadu Rep by
Inspector of Police,
Palanichettypatti Police Station,
Theni District.
Crime No.429 of 2025..

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.Nanthakumar.S,

For Respondent : Mr.B.Nambiselvan,
Additional Public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.429 of 2025 on the file of the
Respondent Police.

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ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

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The petitioners, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent for the offences punishable under Sections 103(1), 49 and 126(2) of BNS, 2023, Crime No.429 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 14.09.2025 at about 15.20 hours, A1 allegedly stabbed his daughter-in-law with a knife and caused her death. Hence, the case.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocent and they were falsely implicated in this case and they are no way connected in the above said incident. They have not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. Hence, he prays to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent police submitted that the investigation has been completed



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and the charge sheet has been filed before the concerned Court and the case is pending before the Judicial Magistrate for committal process.

5. Heard both sides and perused the materials available on record.

6. Considering the rival submissions on either side and the nature of offences charged against the petitioners and A1 was arrested and thereafter released on bail and no previous case is pending against the petitioners and also the fact that the investigation has been completed and the final report has been filed as the petitioners are absconding accused, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners, subject to the following conditions:

[a] Accordingly, the petitioners are ordered to be released on anticipatory bail on condition to execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Judicial Magistrate, Theni, and on further conditions that:



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[b] the petitioners shall report before learned Judicial Magistrate, Theni, daily at 10.30 on all working days, until further orders.

[c] the petitioners shall not commit any offences of similar nature.

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

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

[f] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Judicial 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 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].

[g] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 B.N.S.

(P D B J)
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TO

1. Inspector of Police,
Palanichettypatti Police Station,
Theni District.

2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



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