



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.7074 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 15.04.2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. DHANABAL

CRL OP(MD). No. 7074 of 2026

Thangathurai

... Petitioner

Vs

State of Tamil Nadu rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Kanniyakumari Police Station,
Kanniyakumari District.
(Crime No.90 of 2026)

...Respondents/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Rajesh
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.P.Kottai Chamy
Government Advocate (Crl. side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

PRAYER :-

For Anticipatory Bail in Cr.No. 90 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent for the offences punishable under Section 296(b), 118(1) and 351(3) of BNS, in Crime No.90 of 2026, on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory



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2. The case of the prosecution is that on 03.04.2026, the petitioner picked up quarrel with the defacto complainant and abused him in filthy language and caused simple injuries, thereby the defacto complainant admitted in the hospital. Hence, the case.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and he was falsely implicated in this case and he is no way connected in the above said incident. He has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. This case has been lodged by the defacto complainant only with an ulterior motive and personal enmity. Hence, he prays to grant Anticipatory Bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) submits that the offences are grave in nature. Due to previous enmity, the accused picked up quarrel with the defacto complainant and made assault upon him. The defacto complainant sustained simple injuries and discharged from the hospital. The petitioner has no previous case. Investigation is still pending. He opposed the grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.



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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 petitioner, considering that the injured was discharged from the hospital and sustained simple injury, there is no previous case against the petitioner, and also considering all other facts and circumstances of the case, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner, subject to the following conditions:

[a] Accordingly, the petitioner is 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 No.I, Nagercoil, and on further conditions that:

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police, at 10.30 a.m., on first working day of every English Calender month for a period of three months, thereafter, as and when required for interrogation;

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



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

[e] the petitioner 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 petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner 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)
15.04.2026

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To

- 1.The Judicial Magistrate No.I, Nagercoil.
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Kanniyakumari Police Station,
Kanniyakumari District.
(Crime No.90 of 2026)
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



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