



CRL OP(MD). No. 7552 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 17.04.2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. DHANABAL

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1.Raja
2.Panjavarnam

...petitioners/A1 & A2

Vs

State of Tamil Nadu rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Thiru.Uththirakosamangai Police Station
Ramanathapuram District.
(Crime No. 40 of 2026)

...Respondent/Complainant

For petitioners :Mr.S.Malaikani
Advocate.

For Respondent :Mr.M.Karunanithi
Government Advocate (Crl. Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482
of BNSS

PRAYER :- For Anticipatory Bail in Cr.No. 40 of
2026 on the file of the respondent police.



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ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

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The petitioners/A1 & A2, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent for the offences punishable under Sections 296(b), 115(2) and 351(2) of BNS, 2023, and Section 4 of TNPHW Act, in Crime No.40 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the defacto complainant is the sister of the first petitioner. With regard to the gift presented during their family ceremony, there was a misunderstanding between them. On the date of alleged occurrence, the petitioners went to the house of the defacto complainant and abused her in filthy language and also assaulted her and also caused injuries. Hence, the case.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are innocent



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persons and they were falsely implicated in this case and they are no way connected in the above said incident. He would further submit that there was a family dispute pending between the parties. Hence, he prays to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) fairly submits that the petitioners has no previous cases and the injured person has been discharged from the hospital. He would further submit that the investigation is pending and the offence are grave in nature. Hence, he opposes to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

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



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against the petitioners and there was a family dispute pending between the parties and the injured person has been discharged from the hospital and the material part of the investigation might have been completed and also considering the fact that the petitioners has no previous cases, 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) each with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the Judicial Magistrate Court No.1, Ramanathapuram District, and on further conditions that:

[b] the petitioners shall appear before the respondent Police once in a



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week ie., on Every Saturday at 10.30 a.m., for a period of four weeks and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation.

[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



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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.The Judicial Magistrate Court No.1,
Ramanathapuram District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Thiru.Uththirakosamangai Police Station
Ramanathapuram District.

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



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