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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

Dated : 20/04/2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. DHANABAL

CRL OP(MD). No.7670 of 2026

Sundarraaj

... Petitioner/ Accused No.6

Vs

State of Tamilnadu Rep by,
The Inspector of Police,
Tenkarai Police Station,
Theni District.
(Crime No.274 of 2026)

... Respondent/Complainant

PRAYER :-

For bail in Crime No. 274 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : M.Jegadeesh Pandian
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.B.Nambi Selvan,
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner / Accused, who was arrested and remanded to



judicial custody on 25.03.2026 for the offences punishable under Sections 191(2), 191(3), 329(4), 296(b), 351(3) of BNS, 2023, and Section 4 of TNPHW Act, 2002 r/w Section 3 of TNPPDL Act, 2008, in Crime No.274 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the defacto complainant is a Doctor and he is running a hospital in the name of 'Ramasamy Hospital', Periyakulam. On 23.03.2026, at about 09.30 p.m, one Madhan Mohan was taking treatment in the hospital, the 7 named accused and 20 unnamed accused are said to have trespassed into the hospital and abused the defacto complainant and staffs in filthy language and threatened them with dire consequences and caused damage to the hospital medical articles and other office materials. Hence, this case.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is innocent and he was falsely implicated in this case and he has not committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution. He would further submit that the petitioner has no previous case and the co-accused was released on bail and the petitioner has been arrested and



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remanded to judicial custody on 25.03.2026. Therefore, prayed to grant bail for the petitioner.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent would submit that the offence is grave in nature and the investigation is still pending and the co-accused was released on bail by this Court and no previous case is pending against him.

5. This Court heard both sides and perused the materials available on record.

6. Considering the rival submissions made by the learned counsel on either side, nature of offence, and there is a dispute between the parties with regard to giving treatment to the patient and already the co-accused was released on bail by this Court and no previous case is pending against the petitioner and considering the period of incarceration undergone by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner subject to the following conditions:

[a] Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released



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on 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, Periyakulam, Theni District**, and on further conditions that:

[b] **the petitioner shall report before the respondent police, daily at 10.30 a.m until further orders;**

[c] the petitioner shall not commit any offence similar to the offence of which he/she is accused, or suspected, or of the commission of which he/she is suspected;

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

[e] the petitioner shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade her from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer or tamper with the evidence;

[f] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Judicial Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take



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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 BNS.

(P D B J)
20.04.2026

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To

- 1.The Judicial Magistrate, Periyakulam, Theni District.
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Tenkarai Police Station, Theni District.
3. The Superintendent,
District Prison, Theni.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



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