



CRL OP(MD). No.7994 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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Dated : 22/04/2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. DHANABAL

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M.Yogeshwaran

... Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs

State of Tamilnadu Rep by,
The Inspector of Police,
Kulasekarapattinam Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
Crime No.164/2026.

... Respondent/Complainant

PRAYER :-

For Bail in Crime No.164/2026 on the file of the respondent police

For Petitioner : S. Manojkumar,
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



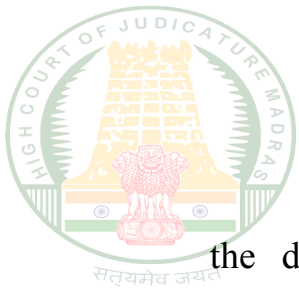
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judicial custody on 27.03.2026 for the offences punishable under Sections 303 r/w 62 of BNS @ 64(1), 62 of BNS, 2023, in Crime No.164 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 25.03.2026 at about 06.30 p.m, when the defacto complainant was coming near Sirunadar Kudiyuruppu Esakkiamman Temple, the petitioner is said to have tried to snatch her chain and attempted to rape her. 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 no previous case is pending against the petitioner and he has been arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 27.03.2026. Therefore, prayed to grant bail for the petitioner.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent would submit that the petitioner tried to snatch the chain of



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the defacto complainant and also attempted to rape her and the investigation is still pending. Hence, he strongly opposed to grant bail to the petitioner. He would further submit that no previous case is pending against the petitioner

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 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 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, Tiruchendur, Thoothukudi District**, and on further conditions that:



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[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 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].



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[g] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can

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(P D B J)
22.04.2026

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To

- 1.The Judicial Magistrate, Tiruchendur,
Thoothukudi District.
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Kulasekarapattinam Police Station, Thoothukudi District.
3. The Superintendent,
Central Prison, Palayamkottai.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

P. DHANABAL,J

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