



CRL OP(MD). No. 8224 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 27.04.2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. DHANABAL

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- 1.Mariselvam @ Mavukattu Mari
- 2.Marish @ Kutti Mari
- 3.Irulappasamy
- 4.Anand

...Petitioners/Accused

Vs

State of Tamil Nadu rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Malli Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
(Crime No.56 of 2026) ..Respondent

For Petitioners :Mr.M.Jegadeesh Pandian
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.56 of
2026 on the file of the respondent police.



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ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioners/Accused, who apprehend arrest at the hands of the respondent for the offences punishable under Sections 191(2), 191(3), 296(b), 109(1), 49, 351(3), 115(2) and 118(1) of BNS, 2023 in Crime No.56 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seek anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that on 14.04.2026, at about 08.00 p.m., during the pongal festival at the defacto complainant's village, at that point of time, the petitioners and other accused persons abused him in filthy language and also assaulted him. Thereafter, when the defacto complainant was going to Sivakasi in his bike, at about 06.15 p.m., near to Puthupatti village, the accused persons waylaid the defacto complainant and attacked him causing injuries. Hence, the case.



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4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent Police would submit that the investigation is pending and the offences are grave in nature and the injured person has been discharged from the hospital and the petitioners have no previous cases. However, he opposes to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

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



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6. Considering the rival submissions on either side and the nature of offences charged against the petitioners and there was a dispute between the parties during pongal festival and the material part of the investigation might have been completed and the petitioners have no previous cases and also considering the fact that the injured person has been discharged from the hospital, 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 learned Judicial Magistrate No.II, Srivilliputhur, Virudhunagar, and on further conditions that:



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[b] the petitioners shall report before the respondent police once in a 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 the conditions have been imposed and the petitioners released on bail by the



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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/petitioners thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 B.N.S.

(P D B J)

27.04.2026

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To

1.The learned Judicial Magistrate No.II,
Srivilliputhur, Virudhunagar.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Malli Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.

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



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