



CRL OP(MD). No.9177 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 06.05.2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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Yamakannan,
S/o.Petchimuthu

... Petitioner/A1

Vs.

The State of Tamil Nadu
Rep.By, the Sub-Inspector of Police,
Thoothukudi North Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
(Crime No.396 of 2026)

... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Mahesh Saravanan,
Advocate

For Respondent : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar,
Additional Public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

PRAYER :- For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.396 of 2026 on the file of
the Respondent Police.



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ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner/A1, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 296(b), 329(4), 115(2), and 351(3) of BNS, read with Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act, in Crime No.396 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that due to previous motive, on 30.04.2026, the petitioner, along with the other accused, allegedly trespassed into the house of the de-facto complainant, abused her in filthy language, and threatened her with dire consequences. Hence, the present case.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and has not committed any offences as alleged by the prosecution. He further submitted that the petitioner is ready and willing to abide by any conditions that may be imposed by this Court. Hence, he seeks anticipatory bail to the petitioner.



5. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also the fact that the issue pertains to a quarrel between the neighbours and that the injured was treated only as an outpatient, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner, subject to certain conditions.

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[a] the petitioner and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity;

[b] the petitioner shall report before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., for a period of one week and thereafter, as and when required for interrogation;

[c] the petitioner shall not tamper with the evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

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

[e] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioner in accordance



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with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner is 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].

[f] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS.

(S S Y J)
06.05.2026

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To

- 1.The Judicial Magistrate Court No.III,
Thoothukudi.
- 2.The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Thoothukudi North Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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