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CRL OP(MD). No.9296 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 07.05.2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MRS. **JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY**

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Sathish ... Petitioner/Sole accused

Vs

The State of Tamilnadu,
Rep., by the Inspector of Police,
PEW Trichy City Police Station,
Trichy District.
(Crime No.60 of 2026) ... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Ratchaka
For Respondent : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar
Additional Public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR BAIL Under Sec.483 of BNSS

PRAYER :- For Bail in Crime No.60 of 2026 on the
file of the respondent police.

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to
judicial custody on 06.04.2026 for the offences
punishable under Sections 8(c) r/w 20(b)(ii)(B) of

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Narcotic and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, in Crime No.60 of 2026, on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner was found to be in possession of 1.100 kg of ganja. Hence, the case.

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

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that 1.100 kg is not a commercial quantity. The petitioner has five previous case, in which, three cases are similar in nature.



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6. Taking into consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the period of incarceration suffered by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner, subject to the following conditions:

7. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on executing 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 Additional District and Sessions Judge/Presiding Officer Special Court for E.C and NDPS Act Cases, Pudukottai, and on further conditions that :-

[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 concerned Magistrate morning at 10.30 am., and shall report before the



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**respondent police evening at 05.00 pm.,
until further orders. Relaxation shall not
be filed for next two months;**

[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 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 BNS.

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- 1.The Additional District and Sessions Judge/Presiding Officer, Special Court for E.C and NDPS Act Cases, Pudukkottai.
- 2.The Officer (Incharge), District Prison, Trichy.
- 3.The Inspector of Police,
PEW Trichy City Police Station,
Trichy District.
- 4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



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