



CRL OP(MD). No.9446 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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Dated : 13/05/2026

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.K. RAMAKRISHNAN

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... Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs

State of Tamilnadu Rep by,
The Inspector of Police,
Thirukattupalli Police Station,
Thanjavur District.
(Crime No. 86/2026).

... Respondent/Complainant

PRAYER :-

For Bail in Crime No. 86/2026 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : D.Rajaboopathy,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.S.Ravi,
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER : The Court made the following order :-



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The petitioner, who was arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 17.04.2026 for the offences punishable under Sections 296(b), 115(2) of BNS, 2023 @ 296(b), 115(2) and 105 of BNS, 2023, in Crime No.86 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the deceased is the brother-in-law of the petitioner. There is a dispute pending between the parties relating to the distribution of properties. As a result, on 14.04.2026, there was a wordy altercation and the petitioner is said to have shoved the deceased down and caused a head injury and hence, initially FIR was registered for the offences under sections 296(b), 115(2) of BNS, 2023, and subsequently, after receiving the death intimation of the deceased on the next date of the occurrence, the FIR was altered into the offences under Sections 296(b), 115(2) and 105 of BNS, 2023. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has not committed any offences as



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alleged by the prosecution. He further submitted that no previous case is pending against the petitioner and the petitioner is in judicial custody from 17.04.2026. Hence, he seeks bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the State strongly opposed to grant bail to the petitioner stating that the investigation is at a preliminary stage. However, he fairly conceded that the petitioner has no previous cases.

5. Taking into consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case and also considering the fact that the petitioner has no previous 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:

6. 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) each with two sureties, each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the Judicial Magistrate Court, Thiruvaiyaru, Thanjavur District, and on



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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 respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m., until further orders;

[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



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

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TO

1. The Judicial Magistrate Court, Thiruvaiyaru,
Thanjavur District.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Thirukattupalli Police Station,
Thanjavur District.
3. The Superintendent,
Central Prison, Trichy.
4. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



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