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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 03/06/2026

PRESENT

The HONOURABLE **MR. JUSTICE P. DHANABAL**

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Selvam,
S/o. Maduaripandi
No.5/203 Dharmasanapatti Village ,
Uranganpatti Post,
Melur Taluk,
Madurai District..

... Petitioner/Accused No.3
Vs

State of Tamilnadu Rep by,
The Inspector of Police,
Keelavalavu Police Station,
Madurai District.
(Crime No. 83 of 2026).

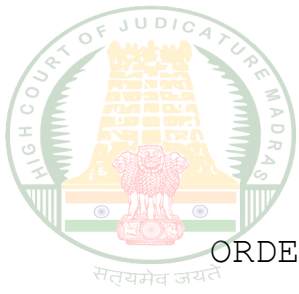
... Respondent/Complainant

For Petitioner : Mr.B Santhanam Rajesh Kumar,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.G.Ganesh Kumar,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of
BNSS

PRAYER :- C-33AB. For Anticipatory Bail in
Crime No. 83 of 2026 on the file of the
Respondent Police.



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ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

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The petitioner/A3, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent for the offences punishable under Sections 64(1)(ii), 77, 296(b), 115(2) and 351(3) of BNS, 2023 r/w Section 4 of TNPHW Act, 2002, and 67 of IT Act, in Crime No.83 of 2026 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner is the younger brother of the main accused. On the date of occurrence, when the defacto complainant was taking bath in her house, at that time, A1 took the same as video in his mobile phone and had sexual intercourse with her by way of threatening her that he will circulate the video in the social media. Thereafter, A2 circulated the above said video in the social media. Hence, the case.



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3. The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is an innocent person and he was falsely implicated in this case and he is no way connected in the above said incident. He would further submit that the main accused namely, A1 and A2 were arrested and released on bail. He would further submit that it is a case in counter case and counter case in Crime No.84 of 2026 has also been registered. Hence, he prays to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent Police would submit that the investigation is pending the offences are grave in nature. He would further submit that the petitioner has no previous cases. However, he opposes to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.



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5. Heard both sides and perused the materials

available on record.

6. Considering the rival submissions on either side and the nature of offences charged against the petitioner and also considering the fact that the petitioner has no previous cases and the main accused namely, A1 and A2 were arrested and released on bail and it is a case in counter case and counter case in Crime No.84 of 2026 has also been registered and the material part of the investigation might have been completed and hence, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner, subject to the following conditions:

[a] Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, within a period of fifteen days from the date on which the order copy made ready,



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before the **learned Judicial Magistrate Court, Melur, Madurai District,** on condition that the petitioner shall 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 concerned and on further conditions that:

[b] the petitioner 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 petitioner shall not commit any offences of similar nature.

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



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[e] the petitioner 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 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].

[g] If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 B.N.S.

(P D B J)
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TO

1.The learned Judicial Magistrate Court, Melur,
Madurai District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Keelavalavu Police Station,
Madurai District.

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



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