



Crl.M.P.(MD) No.588 of 2026

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 24.02.2026

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN
AND
THE HONOURABLE MS.JUSTICE R. POORNIMA**

**CRL.MP(MD) No.588 of 2026
in
Crl.A(MD)No.43 of 2026**

Iruthaya Anthony Sirl

..... Petitioner

Vs.

**State of Tamil Nadu rep. by
The Inspector of Police
Tiruchendur Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
In Crime No.266 of 2014.**

..... Respondent

**Prayer : Petition filed under Section 430 of BNSS to suspend the sentence
in S.C.No.164 of 2019, dated 13.06.2025, on the file of the I Additional
District and Sessions Court, Thoothukudi and enlarge the petitioner on
bail pending disposal of the above Criminal Appeal.**



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For Petitioner : Mr.C.Mayil Vahana Rajendran

For Respondent : Mr.R..Anbunithi
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

[Order of the Court was made by G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN, J.]

Seeking to suspend the sentence imposed on the petitioner by the I Additional District and Sessions Court, Thoothukudi, *vide* Judgment dated 13.06.2025 in S.C.No.164 of 2019, he has filed this Criminal Miscellaneous Petition.

2. The petitioner stands convicted and sentenced as under:

Section of Law	Sentence of imprisonment	Fine amoun
302 r/w 34 of IPC	Life Imprisonment	Rs.10,000/- i/d to undergo three months simple imprisonment
201 of IPC	Seven years Rigorous Imprisonment	Rs.5,000/- i/d to undergo three months simple imprisonment

3. Heard the learned counsel on either side and perused the materials available on record.



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4. Considering the period of incarceration suffered by the petitioner and that there are several arguable points and further the appeal is of year 2026 and the likelihood of the appeal being taken up for final hearing in the near future is also not possible, hence we are of the opinion that it is a fit case for grant of suspension of sentence to the petitioner.

5. Accordingly, the Criminal Miscellaneous Petition is allowed and the substantive sentence of imprisonment alone imposed on the petitioner herein is suspended, subject to the following conditions:

i. The petitioner is directed to be enlarged on bail on executing a bond for Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten thousand only) with two sureties, each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Judicial Magistrate, Tiruchendur.

ii. The sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression in the surety bond and the Trial Court may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or Bank passbook to ensure their identity.



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iii. The petitioner shall appear and sign before the trial Court on the first working day of every English calendar month at 10.30 a.m., till the disposal of the Criminal Appeal.

[G.K.I., J.] & [R.P., J.]
24.02.2026

NCC : Yes / No
Index : Yes / No
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- 1.The I Additional District and Sessions Court,
Thoothukudi.
- 2.The Judicial Magistrate,
Tiruchendur.
- 3.The Inspector of Police
Tiruchendur Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.
4. The Additional Public Prosecutor
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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