

IN THE SPECIAL COURT FOR THE TRIAL OF NIA CASES, ERNAKULAM

Present: Sri. P.K. Mohandas, Judge, Special Court for NIA Cases

Thursday the 11th day of December, 2025 / 20th Agrahayana, 1947.

Crl.M.P. No.505/2025

In

RC No.03/2024/NIA

Petitioner : State Represented by Inspector of Police,
Viyyur Police Station, Thrissur City.

**Represented by Adv. Anver Basheer,
Addl. Government Pleader and Public
Prosecutor, District and Sessions
Court, Ernakulam.**

Accused No. 2 : Manoj P.M @ Ashiq, S/o. Mohanan, age
32/25, Padinjarethala House, Evenoor
Desom, Cherur P.O, Viyyur, Thrissur.

**Represented by
Adv. Sri. Thushar Nirmal Sarathy**

This petition is came up for hearing before me on 11.12.2025 in the presence of the counsel for the petitioner and respondent and Court on the same day passed the following:

ORDER

This is an application for permission for formal arrest of 2nd accused, who is in remand in connection with this case.

2. The petitioner is the investigating officer in Crime No.1094/2025 of Viyyur Police Station, Thrissur. It is reported that on 13.11.2025 at about

17.20 hours, the prisoners at High Security Prison, Viyyur, obstructed the duty of the officer by refusing to obey his direction to enter the cell as an act of revenge. They assaulted and abused him, and inflicted serious injuries by hitting on his neck and chest with a sharp tile piece, and thereby attempted to commit his murder. They also assaulted another prison guard who tried to prevent the assault. On receiving intimation, the Sub Inspector of Viyyur Police station recorded the statement of the injured prison officer, and registered Crime No.1094/2025 for offences under Sections 109(1), 117(2), 118(1), 115(2), 126(2), 121(2), 132 and 296(b) r/w.s 3(5) of the BNS.

3. It is further reported that considering the serious nature of the case, it is necessary to arrest the accused, Manoj, S/o.Mohanan, Padinjarethala House, Evannur Desam, Cherur, Viyyur, Thrissur, who is the 2nd accused in RC 03/2024, detained as UT No.76/2025 at Central Prison, Thavanur. Therefore, the investigating officer seeks permission to record the formal arrest of the 2nd accused, Manoj, in Crime No.1094/2025 of Viyyur Police Station, Thrissur and to interrogate him in prison, record his statement and take his photographs.

4. I have heard the Public Prosecutor and perused the records.

5. On going through the application submitted by the petitioner and going through the other materials placed, I am of the view that formal arrest of the said person is necessary for the proper investigation of the case and permission can be granted for his formal arrest.

Hence, the petition is allowed. The petitioner is permitted to record the formal arrest of Mr. Manoj @ Ashiq, the 2nd accused in RC.03/2024, detained in Central Prison, Thavanur. He is also permitted to interrogate/examine the accused, record his statement, and take his photographs between 08.00 a.m. and 6.00 p.m. on any day before 25.12.2025, in the presence of the Superintendent of the jail.

Dictated to the Confidential Asst., transcribed and typewritten by her, corrected and pronounced by me in open court on this the 11th day of December, 2025.

Sd/-
P. K. Mohandas
Judge, Special Court for NIA Cases

Appendix: Nil

Id/-
Judge, Special Court for NIA Cases
(By Order)

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