

**IN THE COURT OF THE JUDICIAL FIRST CLASS MAGISTRATE-I,
CHANGANACHERRY**

Present: Sri.Anil Kumar. T.S, Judicial I Class Magistrate.

Dated this the, 26th day of November 2025

CMP No.5564/2025 in CC 1077/2024

- Petitioner/A4 : Nidhi Sosa Kurian, Aged 38, D/o P P Kurian,
Cheloor EI-Dorado, 101 B, Kuzhikattu
Moola, Kakkanad, Ernakulam, Now residing
at TC18/622 (25 OJRA-40) Ooruttu Junction,
Asramam Road, Punnakkamukal,
Thiruvananthapuram.
(By Adv.P S Navas)
- Respondent : State - represented by the
SHO of Vakathanam Police Station in Crime
No.54/2024.
(By APP, Changanacherry)
- Order : Allowed

This petition came up for hearing today and the Court passed the following.

ORDER

2. The facts in brief are as follows:- The petitioner is the 4th accused in Crime no.54/2024 of Vakathanam Police Station. As per bail order dated 26.04.2024 in CMP 857/2024 in Crime No 54/2024 of Vakathanam Police Station the petitioner was directed to surrender her passport before this court. In compliance of the direction, the petitioner has surrendered her passport bearing no.M3660803 before the court. Now she has got an opportunity to apply for job abroad. Hence she is in need of her passport for renewal.

3. The learned APP opposed the application stating that if the passport is released, the accused will abscond.

4. Heard both sides.

5. The petitioner is the fourth accused in CC 1077/2024 alleging offences punishable u/s.420 r/w 34 of IPC. The facts of the case is that the accused no.1 and 2 with the intention to cheat embezzled of Rs.85,00,000/- obtained from first informant, after promising huge profit from antique business. According to the prosecution version, money was transferred through the bank accounts of A3 and A4. The petitioner surrendered her passport (M3660803) before this court as per order in CMP 857/2024 dated 26.04.2024. Now she has got an opportunity for employment abroad and her passport has to be renewed. Final report has already been filed in this case and there is little chance to commence the trial of the case immediately. Considering all these aspects, the petition is found allowable. Hence, the application is allowed subject to the following condition.

- i) The passport is released for a period of one month from the date of receipt of the order. The passport shall be resubmitted before this court after the expiry of one month from the date of receipt of the passport.
- ii) The petitioner shall execute self bond for Rs.1,00,000/-.

(Dictated to the Confidential Assistant, transcribed by her, corrected and pronounced by me in open court on this the 26th day of November, 2025)

Sd/-
Judicial First Class Magistrate -1
Changanacherry