

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE,
CUDDALORE DISTRICT, CUDDALORE

Present: **Tmt. G.SARASWATHI, M.L.,**

I Additional District and Sessions Judge,
Cuddalore.

(Exercising Power as Sessions Judge, U/s.8(8) of B.N.S.S.)

Thursday, the 26th day of March 2026

Criminal Miscellaneous Petition No. 1185/2026

Satheesh, age 34, S/o. Vijayan ... Petitioner/Accused

.Vs.

S.H.O. Portonovo P.S.,
Cr.No. 85/2026

... Respondent/Complainant

This petition is coming for hearing before me on this day in the presence of Thiru.P.Kaviarasan, Advocate for the Petitioner/Accused and of Public Prosecutor for the Respondent and this Court made the following

ORDER

This petition is filed U/s.482 of BNSS for seeking Anticipatory Bail.

Prosecution case is that the FIR was registered as against the Petitioner/Accused for the alleged offences punishable U/Ss.296(b), 118(1) and 351(2) of BNS for the alleged occurrence on 22.03.2026. FIR was registered on 22.03.2026.

The Learned Counsel for the Petitioner/Accused has contended that the Respondent Police have registered an FIR as against the Petitioner/Accused and that he has been falsely implicated in this case and he has not committed any offence as alleged in FIR. He further stated that the injured was discharged from the hospital. Hence, prays to allow the petition.

The Learned Public Prosecutor has contended that as per FIR, the section of law 351(2) is mentioned but the same section is missed in the petition and the investigation has not yet been completed. Hence, he has serious objection to grant Anticipatory bail to the Petitioner/Accused. However, admitted that the injured was discharged from the hospital.

Heard both sides.

Considering the rival submissions of both sides and considering the facts and circumstances of the case and considering that the injured was discharged from the hospital, I am inclined to grant Anticipatory bail to the Petitioner/Accused with the following conditions:-

The Petitioner/Accused is ordered to be enlarged on bail in the event of arrest or on his surrender on or before **09.04.2026** before the **Learned District Munsif-cum-Judicial Magistrate, Portonovo** on his executing a bond for Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) along with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the said Court and further the *Petitioner/Accused shall sign before **the SHO, Respondent PS daily at 10.30 AM for 15 days*** and thereafter as and when required. Further conditions that

(i) The sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety affidavit and concerned Court may obtain a copy of their Aadhar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

(ii) The Respondent Police is directed to secure the copy of Ration card, Aadhar Card and Phone number of the accused and his house mates to secure the presence of the accused.

(iii) The Petitioner/Accused shall not abscond and tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

(iv) The Petitioner/Accused should co-operate with the investigation and trial proceedings without gaining any time, otherwise the bail bond would stand automatically canceled.

(v) Petitioner/Accused shall provide all mobile numbers to the IO concerned which shall be kept in working condition at all times and shall not switch off or change the mobile number without prior intimation to the Investigation Officer concerned. The Mobile location be kept on at all times.

(vi) the Petitioner/Accused shall not leave India without the previous permission of the Court.

(vii) On breach of any conditions, this court is entitled to take action as per the Judgment of the Supreme Court of India in P.K.Shaji Vs. State of Kerala, AIR 2005 SCR 5560. If the petitioner absconds a fresh FIR would be registered U/s.269 of BNS.

Accordingly, this petition is allowed.

Pronounced by me in Open Court, this the 26th day of March 2026

I Additional District and Sessions Judge,
Cuddalore.

To	: The District Munsif-cum-Judicial Magistrate, Portonovo	} Through E-Mail only
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