

**IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICT AND
SESSIONS JUDGE, CHENGALPATTU**

Present : Thiru.T.Chandrasekaran, M.L.,
Principal District and Sessions Judge,
Chengalpattu.

Dated: Monday, the 23rd day of March 2026

CrI.M.P. No.765 of 2026

(S.C. No.25 of 2022 on the file of this Court)

(CNR No. TNCG01-001733-2026)

Vetrivel (A5), S/o.Mounissamy @ Munusamy(*),
(*) amended as per the order in Memo .. Petitioner/Accused.
dated 27.04.2026

//Versus//

State of Tamilnadu,
Rep. by the Inspector of Police,
Chunambedu Police Station.
Cr. No.1466 of 2020 .. Respondent/Complainant
U/s.341, 302 IPC @ into Sec.147, 148, 341, 302, 120(B) of IPC r/w.
Sec.3(2)(v), 3(2)(va) of SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989

This petition for bail coming on this day for hearing before me, M/s.K.Sundaramoorthy, the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner/accused and M/s.D.R.Rajarajan, the learned Special Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent/complainant, upon hearing both sides and upon perusal of case records, this Court made the following

ORDER

This petition is filed U/s.480 and 483 of BNSS 2023, praying to enlarge the petitioner on bail.

2. The petitioner/accused is facing charges for the offences U/s.341, 302 IPC @ into Sec.147, 148, 341, 302, 120(B) of IPC r/w. Sec.3(2)(v), 3(2)(va) of SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.

3. Notice given to the Special Public Prosecutor for the State and to

the victim. Heard; records perused.

4. The learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that since the petitioner failed to appear before the court on 27.11.2025, NBW was issued against him, subsequently on execution of NBW, he was arrested and remanded on 25.02.2026; now the petitioner is in judicial custody for the past 27 days; moreover, the petitioner is ready to abide by any conditions to be imposed upon him and he is ready to offer substantial sureties before the court and thereby prayed for enlargement on bail.

5. The learned Special Public Prosecutor, on the other hand, objected to grant bail to the petitioner.

6. Statutory notice has been served to the defacto complainant/brother of the victim. He made his personal appearance before this court and objected to grant bail to the petitioner. He also filed his objection in writing.

7. On perusal of records, it is seen totally seven accused are involved in the occurrence, this petitioner has been arrayed as A5. In this case, the A7 also arrested and NBW is pending against A4. It appears the case is at the stage of Fresh Summons to A2. The petitioner is in judicial custody for the past 27 days. Taking into consideration the duration of custody and also considering the other facts and circumstances of the case, this court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

8. In the result, this petition is allowed; The petitioner/accused is ordered to be released on bail on his execution of bond for Rs.10,000/- with two sureties for a like sum to the satisfaction of this court, with further conditions that;

1. The sureties shall affix their photographs and Left Thumb Impression (LTI) in the surety bond and the sureties shall produce copy of any of identity proof to ensure their identity.
2. **The petitioner/accused is directed to report before this court on all working days at 10.30 A.M. until further orders;**
3. The petitioner/accused should not tamper the witnesses during trial;
4. If there is any breach of conditions, the Investigation Officer shall report before this court and appropriate action will be taken in accordance with the decision in *AIR 2006 SC 100 - P.K. Shaji Vs State of Kerala*.

Pronounced by me in open Court on this the 23rd day of March 2026.

Principal District and Sessions Judge,
Chengalpattu.

To
The Inspector of Police, Chunambedu Police Station.
The Superintendent, District Jail, Chengalpattu.