

IN THE COURT OF PRINCIPAL SESSIONS JUDGE , DINDIGUL.

**PRESENT: Thiru.V.Padmanabhan, M.A., M.L., D.H.,
Principal Sessions Judge, Dindigul.**

Monday the 08th day of June 2026.

Crl.M.P. No.1205/2026

CNR No.TNDG01-002806-2026

Mohammed Rafi, 44/2025
S/o.Ahammed Basha

: Petitioner/A2

/vs/

State through
The Inspector of Police,
Palani Town PS.
Cr. No.401/2026

.. Respondent/Complainant

Petition dated 05.06.2026 through e-filed and U/s. 483 of BNSS seeks custody bail to the petitioner/accused.

This petition came before this Court for final hearing today in the presence of Thiru.G.Saravanakumar, the learned Counsel for the petitioner and of Thiru.P.Mahendran, the learned Public Prosecutor for the respondent and heard either side and on perusing all the records, this Court delivered the following.....

ORDER

1. This petitioner / 2nd accused seeks bail for the alleged offences U/S. 8(c), 20(b) (ii) (A) of NDPS Act and 77 of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2015.
2. The Prosecution case is that the defacto complainant is S.I. of Police attached to the respondent P.S., that on 18.05.2026 at 11.30 a.m., on reliable information received by him, he along with police party made on surveillance and reached near APA College, Palani to Dindigul Road, on seeing the police party, the accused persons try to escape, but the respondent police surrounded them and made search, they found the accused persons were illegally possessed each 25 grams of cannabis for selling to youngsters and school going students, hence, this case.

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3. The learned Counsel appearing for the petitioner/ 2nd accused would submit that the petitioner is undergoing incarceration from 18.05.2026; that the petitioner did not involve in this case incident as alleged by prosecution; that the case property was recovered; that nobody was hospitalized; that he is not selling the cannabis; that if he is released on bail he will abide the conditions of this Court and that he may be released on bail.
4. On the other hand, the learned Public Prosecutor contended that the petitioner was in possession of 25 grams of cannabis; that he has no previous case; that the investigation is pending; if he is released on bail, he will commit the similar nature offence again and that the petition may be dismissed.
5. Upon hearing both sides arguments and as per the FIR averments, it is seen that the petitioner is allegedly found in possession of 25 grams of cannabis and the same were recovered. It is fairly conceded on prosecution that the properties have already been recovered and he has no previous case.
6. In the above circumstances, considering the remand period, stage of the case and in the interest of Justice this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner on the following conditions:
7. that the petitioner/ 2nd accused is ordered to be released on bail on executing a bond for a sum of **Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand)** with two sureties for a like sum, to the satisfaction of the **learned Judicial Magistrate, Palani**; and on further condition that
8. the sureties shall affix their photograph and Left Thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhar Card or Bank Pass Book to ensure their identity.
9. the petitioner/ 2nd accused shall appear and sign before the **respondent Police Station daily at 10.00 a.m. for 30 days.**
10. the petitioner/ 2nd accused shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.
11. the petitioner/ 2nd accused shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.

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12. On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner released on anticipatory bail by the learned Magistrate/Trial Court himself as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in P.K. Shaji Vs. State of Kerala [(2005) AIR SCW 5560].
13. If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under section 269 of BNS.

Pronounced by me in open Court this the 08th day of June 2026.

**Principal Sessions Judge,
Dindigul.**

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The Public Prosecutor, Dindigul.
The Inspector of Police, Palani Town PS.
Thiru.G.Saravanakumar, Counsel for the petitioner.

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