

IN THE COURT OF PRINCIPAL SESSIONS JUDGE , DINDIGUL.

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

Monday the 08th day of June 2026.

Crl.M.P. No.1187/2026
CNR No.TNDG01-002839-2026

Anandha Rajakumar, 53/2026
S/o.Puthiyan

: Appellant/Accused

/vs/

1.Ramachandran, 74/2026
S/o.Chennappagounder
2.State through The Public Prosecutor,
Dindigul.

.. Respondents/Complainant

Petition dated 03.06.2026 through offline and U/s. 430(1) of BNSS seeks Suspension of Sentence to the petitioner/accused.

This petition came before this Court for final hearing today in the presence of Thiru. V.Palanisamy, the learned Public Prosecutor 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 petition is filed Under Section 430(1) of BNSS to suspend the sentence of imprisonment imposed on the petitioner in S.T.C.No.50/2025 dated 15.05.2026 till the disposal of Criminal appeal.

2. The learned Counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner/accused was convicted and sentenced to undergo imprisonment for 6 months S.I. U/s 255(2) of Cr.P.C. and the accused is directed to pay compensation amount of Rs.10,00,000/- that is the amount due on the cheque to the complainant U/s 357(3) of Cr.P.C. with in one month and in default of payment of compensation, the accused is further sentenced to undergo 3 months S.I. for the offence punishable U/s 138 of N.I.Act in S.T.C.No.50/2025 dated 15.05.2026 and that he has filed the appeal before this Court therefore, the substantive sentence of imprisonment imposed on the petitioner in S.T.C.No.50/2025 dated 15.05.2026 is suspended till the disposal of the Criminal Appeal.

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3. Notice given to the other side. Counter filed by the respondent and that the respondent has stated that trial Court correctly delivered the judgment in favour of the respondent, that the respondent has not cross-examined the petitioner, not appeared before the trial Court at the time of delivery of Judgment, due to that N.B.W. was issued against the petitioner, and the petitioner has to be directed to deposit 20% of cheque amount before the trial court and prays to dismiss this petition.

4. Heard both sides. Record perused.

5. The petitioner had preferred an appeal as against the Judgment passed in S.T.C.No.50/2025 on the file of Judicial Magistrate Court No.III, Dindigul on 15.05.2026. The petitioner has raised several arguable points in appeal. The appeal could not be heard immediately. Only after hearing the arguments on both sides, the appeal can be decided. Considering the conviction and quantum of punishment, this Court is inclined to suspend the substantive sentence of imprisonment imposed on the petitioner till the disposal of the Criminal Appeal No.93/2026.

6. In the result, the petition is allowed and the sentence is suspended till the disposal of the Criminal Appeal No.93/2026.

(i) That the present case the compensation amount ordered to be paid is Rs.10,00,000/- On perusal of grounds of appeal he can be given a exception to pay 10% of the compensation amount as condition for granting suspension of sentence and hence the petitioner is directed to deposit 10%of compensation amount awarded by Judicial Magistrate No.III, Dindigul on or before 18.06.2026.

(ii) that the petitioner is directed to surrender before the Judicial Magistrate No.III, Dindigul on or before 18.06.2026.

(iii) that the learned Judicial Magistrate No.III, Dindigul is directed to admit him on bail on his furnishing bond to the tune of Rs.10,000/- with sureties each for the like sum to the satisfaction of Judicial Magistrate No.III, Dindigul.

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.

Thiru.V.Palanisamy, Counsel for the petitioner.

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