

In the Court of the I Additional Sessions Judge, Madurai
Present: Thiru.S. John Sundarlal Suresh, B.Sc., M.L.,
I Additional Sessions Judge
Dated this the 07th day of July 2026, Tuesday
Crl.M.P.No.3017/2026 in S.C.No.562/2025

Uma Maheswaran (Alva),
S/o Navaraja,
Akimshapuram,
Sellur,
Madurai

...Petitioner/Accused

.. Vs..

State represented by the Inspector of Police
Perungudi P.S
Cr.No.14/2021
U/s 307, 147 and 148 IPC

... Respondent/ Complainant

This petition coming on 06.07.2026 for final hearing in the presence of Advocate Thiru.R.Balamurugan for the petitioner, Additional Public Prosecutor Thiru.V.C.Sankaranarayanan for prosecution and upon hearing the arguments of both parties and upon perusing the case records, this court passed the following

ORDER

1. The application filed by the petitioner/4th accused u/s 482 BNSS to enlarge the petitioner/accused on bail.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner was arrested on the basis of NBW issued by the Judicial Magistrate,

Thirumangalam and he was remanded to judicial custody on 26.09.2023. and the petitioner is under judicial custody more than 3 years. The petitioner is ready to abide any condition imposed by this court and that the petition is to be allowed.

3. Per contra the learned Additional Public Prosecutor filed the detailed reply and contended that the petitioner was arrested on the basis of NBW issued by the Judicial Magistrate, Thirumangalam. While it is so in case the petitioner will be enlarged on bail, he may abscond the process of law and that this petition is devoid of merits and liable to be dismissed.

4. This court carefully considered the above said submission of the learned counsel for the both parties and perused the records. In the reply, there is no separate sheet is attached with regard to the particulars of previous cases as pending against the petitioner. The petitioner is still under judicial custody for the past 1016 days. Moreover the trial of the S.C.No.562/2025 is yet to be commenced and it will take some more time to dispose of this case.

5. Under these circumstances having regard to the nature of offence, in the context of the length of custody, this court concluded that no prejudice would be caused to the prosecution if the bail will be granted to the petitioner imposing necessary condition and as such the petitioner will be enlarged on bail on his execution of bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- along with two sureties for a like sum each to the satisfaction of this court with condition that the petitioner should report before the respondent police station daily at 06.30 PM for one month. Ordered accordingly.

Dictated by me to the Stenographer, transcribed and typed by her in the computer, corrected and pronounced by me in the open Court this the 07th day of July 2026.

I Additional District & Sessions Judge,
Madurai.

Copy to:-

1. The Judicial Magistrate, Thirumangalam.
2. The Public Prosecutor, I Additional Session Court, Madurai.
3. The Superintendent, Central Prison, Madurai.