



**IN THE COURT OF ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE,  
RAMANATHAPURAM.**

**PRESENT: Thiru. C. MOHANRAM, M.A., B.L.,**  
Additional Sessions Judge,  
Ramanathapuram.

**Monday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of March 2026**

**CrI.M.P.No.439/2026 in S.C.No.37/2026**  
(CNR No.TNRM-01-000762-2026)

**in**  
**P.R.No.6/2026**

Ramanatha Prabu, aged 26/2026  
S/o.Manoharan,  
M.G.R Nagar,  
Paramakudi,  
Ramanathapuram.

...Petitioner /Vehicle Owner

/Vs/

State through,  
The Inspector of Police,  
Kenikkarai Police Station.  
Cr.No.228/2025.

....Respondent / Complainant

This petition was coming on 13.03.2026 for final hearing before me, in the presence of Thiru.Chinnaraja Pananichamy, Advocate for the petitioner and Thiru.A.Manoharan, Additional Public Prosecutor for the Respondent / Complainant and upon perusing the materials and hearing the arguments on both, this court passed the following...

**ORDER**

The petitioner has filed the petition U/s.497 of BNSS.



The petitioner is the owner of the Car bearing Reg.No.TN 65 BI 0815 Hyundai 120 Jerry red colour and Vivo V 40 Ganges Blue Cell phone (IMEI No.863799075617137). The petitioner in his affidavit has stated that the respondent / complainant police have recovered his Car and Cellphone for the purpose of investigation and produced the same before this Court and numbered as P.R.No.6/2026. He has further stated that he is in need of his Car and Cellphone for the day to day activities. Unless the Car and Cellphone are returned, the same would be ruined and without safety and maintenance. Therefore, he prayed to pass an order to return his vehicle and Cellphone.

2. The respondent police have submitted that the petitioner / accused has used this vehicle for the occurrence and if the vehicle and Cellphone are handed over the petitioner he may sell or alter the vehicle and Cellphone and therefore they objected to return the properties.

3. The petitioner / accused in order to show that he is the owner of the Car and has produced the copy of the Registration Certificate. As per Registration Certificate the petitioner is owner. As submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioner if the vehicle (Car) and Cellphone are not returned, the same would be ruined or it will lose its utility.

4. Therefore, this court is inclined to handover the Car and Cellphone to the petitioner's custody with conditions. Accordingly, the vehicle, i.e., Car bearing Reg.No.TN 65 BI 0815 Hyundai 120 Jerry red colour and Vivo V 40 Ganges Blue Cell phone (IMEI No.863799075617137) are ordered to be returned to the petitioner's custody on the following terms.



1. The petitioner shall execute a bond for Rs.1,00,000/- with two sureties for the like sum.
2. The Original R.C. Book of the vehicle shall be produced for verification.
3. A Panchanama with the photographs of the vehicle and Cell phone with any special description marks shall be produced before this court in Judicial Form 82 of Criminal Rules of Practice.
4. The petitioner shall file an affidavit that the properties will not be alienated, encumbered or altered in any manner pending disposal of the case.
5. The petitioner shall undertake that he will not make any objection to mark the Panchanama and photographs of the properties in question during time of trial.
6. The petitioner / accused shall produce the vehicle before the respondent police station on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of every month till the conclusion of the trial and the respondent police shall get endorsement for production of vehicle.
7. The respondent police shall intimate to the RTO concerned about the involvement of vehicle.

In the result, the petition is allowed on the above terms.

Order pronounced by me, on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March 2026.

Additional Sessions Judge,  
Ramanathapuram.  
16.03.2026

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The Public Prosecutor, Ramanathapuram,  
The Inspector of Police, Kenikkarai P.S., Ramanathapuram.  
The Advocate concerned.