

**IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL SESSIONS JUDGE,  
SALEM**

Present: Tmt.S.Sumathy, M.L.,  
Principal Sessions Judge,  
Salem.

Tuesday, this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2026

**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS PETITION No. 608/2026**  
**(CNR.No.TNSA010012642026)**

Ganesan (46), S/o. Kuppannan ... Petitioner/Accused

/Versus/

State by: The Sub Inspector of Police,  
Karipatty P.S.,  
Cr.No. 43/2026.

... Respondent/Complainant

This petition is filed on 07.03.2026 u/s.483 of BNSS., to grant bail to the petitioner.

This petition is coming on this day for hearing before me, in the presence of Tr.R.Vijayaraja, Counsel for the petitioner and the Public Prosecutor for the respondent, after perusing the averments, this Court delivered the following:

**ORDER**

Heard both side and records perused. The petitioner is the accused in Cr.No.43/2026 of Karipatty P.S. The petitioner who was remanded to judicial custody on 23.02.2026 for the alleged offences u/sec. 4(1)(B), r/w. 4(1)(C) and 4(1-A) of TNP Act, has come forward with this petition seeking to release him on bail.

2) The case of the prosecution is that on 23.02.2026 at about 10.00 hrs., when the defacto complainant and his police party were in patrolling at Velliyampatty, near Sivan Koil, the petitioner was found in possession of 46 bottles of Express Brandy (each 180 ml.), 27 bottles of Black Pearl brandy (each 180 ml.), 11 bottles of Old Chef (each 180 ml.), 21 bottles of

Veeran (each 180 m.l), 85 bottles of King Fisher Beer (each 180 m.l), (Totally 190 Bottles), containing ingredients of poisonous substances. Hence this case.

3) The learned Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner has not committed any offence and he is falsely implicated in this case; there is no previous case against the petitioner; and for the past 16 days, he is in judicial custody and prayed to enlarge the petitioner on bail.

4) On the other hand, the learned Public Prosecutor has reiterated the facts of the case and submitted that the petitioner illegally possessed a huge quantity of liquor, hence, he strongly objected to release the petitioner on bail.

5) In the stated circumstances, considering the facts of the case and the nature of the offence, this Court is of the view that it is not an appropriate time to release the petitioner on bail and this petition deserves a dismissal.

6) In the result, this petition is dismissed.

Pronounced by me in Open Court, this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2026.

Principal Sessions Judge,  
Salem.