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Crl.M.P.No.599 of 2026

IN THE COURT OF THE JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, KARAIKUDI

PRESENT: THIRU. J.KARMEGAKANNAN, B.A., B.L.,

JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, KARAIKUDI

Friday, the 05th day of June 2026

Crl.MP.No.599 of 2026

Crime No.55 of 2025

(On the file of Karaikudi North Police Station)

CNR No.TNSV19 – 001 – 126 - 2026

M.Sangeetha,

D/o.Mohan

. . . Petitioner/Accused

Vs

1.The Inspector of Police

Karaikudi North PS

Cr.No.55/2025

2.The Inspector of Police,

All Women Police Station,

Karaikudi.

. . . Respondent/Complainant

On today, this petition coming for final hearing before me on 05.06.2026 in the presence of Advocate Mr.M.Muthukumar for the Petitioner and Learned Assistant Public Prosecutor for the Respondent. Upon perusing the records and having stood over for consideration, this court delivers the following.



ORDER

1.The present petition has been filed seeking relaxation of the conditions imposed by this court vide order dated 17.04.2026 made in Crl.M.P. No.369 of 2026.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that while granting bail, this court had imposed a condition directing the petitioner to appear before the respondent police on every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 10.00 a.m. and sign before them. Subsequently, the petitioner, contending that she was residing at Madurai and that certain disputes existed between her and the respondent police, had approached this court seeking modification of the reporting condition. It is stated that the petitioner had also lodged a complaint before the State Women Commission and the same is pending in Na.Ka.No.753/WC/A2/2026. Taking note of the said circumstances, this Court, by order dated 05.05.2026 in Crl.M.P. No.411 of 2026, modified the earlier condition and directed the petitioner to appear before the All Women Police Station, Karaikudi, on the prescribed dates and sign before the police.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner further submitted that the petitioner had complied with the modified condition and thereafter met with an unfortunate incident. According to the petitioner, she sustained a fracture in her hand during a quarrel with her male friend, who allegedly assaulted her with wooden logs. Consequently, she was admitted in Government Rajaji General



Hospital, Madurai, on 16.05.2026, underwent surgery and was discharged only on 26.05.2026. Owing to the said medical condition and the consequent physical incapacity, she could not appear before the second respondent police and comply with the reporting condition. Hence, she seeks complete relaxation of the said condition.

4. Per contra, the first respondent police filed a detailed reply objecting to the petition. According to the respondents, the petitioner had signed before the police on 27.04.2026, 29.04.2026, 02.05.2026 and 04.05.2026. It is further stated that after the modification order, the petitioner signed before the All Women Police Station, Karaikudi, only on 06.05.2026, 09.05.2026, 11.05.2026, 13.05.2026 and 16.05.2026. Thereafter, she failed to appear on the due dates, namely 18.05.2026, 20.05.2026, 23.05.2026, 25.05.2026, 27.05.2026, 30.05.2026, 01.06.2026 and 03.06.2026. Therefore, according to the respondents, the petitioner has violated the bail condition and the present petition is liable to be dismissed.

5. This court heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Assistant Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents. The records placed before this court were also carefully perused.

6. It is not in dispute that the petitioner was directed to report before the police periodically as a condition for bail. It is also not in dispute that the petitioner had complied with the condition for a considerable period. The



explanation offered by the petitioner for her subsequent non appearance is that she sustained a fracture and underwent surgery at Government Rajaji General Hospital, Madurai. In support of the said contention, the petitioner has produced the admission records and discharge summary issued by the hospital.

7. The medical records produced by the petitioner prima facie show that she was admitted in the hospital on 17.05.2026 and underwent treatment for the injuries sustained by her. The period during which the petitioner failed to report before the police substantially overlaps with the period of her hospitalization and immediate recovery thereafter. Therefore, the explanation offered by the petitioner cannot be brushed aside as unacceptable or unbelievable.

8. Further, during the course of arguments, the learned Assistant Public Prosecutor fairly submitted that the investigation has been completed and the final report has already been filed before this court. Once the investigation is over and the final report has been filed, the necessity for continued and frequent reporting before the police considerably diminishes.

9. Considering the medical condition of the petitioner, the documents produced in support thereof, the fact that the final report has been filed, and the overall facts and circumstances of the case, this court is of the view that sufficient grounds have been made out for relaxation of the reporting condition imposed earlier.



10. Accordingly, this Criminal Miscellaneous Petition is allowed. The condition imposed by this court requiring the petitioner to appear before the 2nd respondent police and sign on every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 10.00 a.m. is hereby relaxed. All other conditions imposed in the earlier bail order shall remain unaltered and shall continue to be in force.

Order pronounced by me in the open court on the 05th day of June 2026.

Judicial Magistrate,
Karaikudi.