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CrI.M.P.No.1174/2026
Chinnamanur Police Station
Crime No : 373/2026

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL SESSIONS JUDGE, THENI.

Present : Thiru. A. Saravanakumar, B.A.,B.L.,

Principal Sessions Judge, Theni.

Saturday, this the 04th day of July - 2026

CrI.M.P.No.1174/2026 - In -

CNR.No.TNTH01-002110-2026

1. Akilan

2. Mugesh @ Mukesh

... Petitioners/Accused

Vs

The State rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Chinnamanur Police Station,
(Cr.No.373/2026)

... Respondent / Complainant

The petition coming on this day for final hearing before me in the presence of Thiru. M. Chokkar, Advocate for the petitioners and on perusal of the written reply filed by the respondent police and the records available on file, this court delivers the following ...

ORDER

1. The petitioners are apprehending arrest for the offences charged u/s.296(b), 115(2), 118(1), 351(3) BNS and 4 of TNPHW Act and had filed this petition u/s.482 of B.N.S.S., seeking for their release on anticipatory bail in the event of their arrest.

2. This is an application for anticipatory bail in respect of a case registered against the petitioners / accused u/s.296(b), 115(2), 118(1), 351(3) BNS and 4 of TNPHW Act.

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Principal Sessions Judge, Theni.



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3. The learned counsel for the accused submits that the accused are an innocent persons and they have not committed any offence. If they are enlarged on anticipatory bail, they would furnish sufficient sureties.

4. Today, the learned Public Prosecutor is absent. However, the respondent police has given a reply stating that the investigation is not yet completed.

5. This court has considered the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and perused the written reply filed by the respondent police. It is noticed that the occurrence has taken place on 24.06.2026 and the FIR was registered on 27.06.2026 and except Sections 118(1) BNS and 4 of TNPHW Act, the other offences are bailable in nature. It is further submitted by the respondent police that the injured has been discharged from the hospital. Therefore, most part of the investigation ought to have been completed. The accused persons seemed to be first offenders. No previous case pending against them. They have permanent residence within the jurisdiction of the respondent police. There is no possibility of fleeing from justice. Though the respondent police submitted that the 1st petitioner is involved in 02 previous cases, no conviction has been recorded against him in any of those cases. The only apprehension of the Investigation Agency is that there is a possibility of tampering the witnesses. Such being the apprehension raised, this court is of the view that some stringent conditions may be imposed while granting anticipatory bail. Considering the above circumstances, this court is inclined to



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consider the anticipatory bail application of the petitioners with the following stringent conditions.

(i) Bond and Sureties :-

In the result, the petition is allowed and the petitioners are directed to surrender before the **Jurisdiction Magistrate, Uthamapalayam** within 15 days from the date of receipt of the order or in the event of their arrest and production before the jurisdiction Magistrate concerned, **they are ordered to be released** on bail on their executing bond for Rs.10,000/- each with two sureties each for like sum to the satisfaction of the **Jurisdiction Magistrate, Uthamapalayam.**

(ii) Daily Appearance Requirement :-

The **petitioners shall appear and report before the Respondent Police Station daily at 10.00 a.m., 5.00 p.m., for 30 days** and thereafter, shall appear on summons. In the event that the petitioners fail to surrender within 15 days from the date of the order, the anticipatory bail granted will automatically lapse.

(iii) Identification Documentation :-

(a) The sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression and the Judicial Magistrate while considering the sureties, shall obtain the copy of their Aadhar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity.

(b) The petitioners' photograph and Aadhaar Card with bank pass book copy shall also be obtained while considering the sureties.



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(iv) Contact Details for E-Summons and Court Communications :-

The petitioners shall furnish and maintain active mobile number(s) and email ID(s) for receipt of e-summons, notices and other court communications. Any change shall be made only with prior permission of the concerned Court.

(v) Cooperation with Investigation :-

The petitioners shall appear before the respondent police and cooperate with the investigation as and when required.

(vi) Cooperation for Expeditious Trial :-

The petitioners shall not seek unnecessary adjournments or adopt any tactic to delay the trial proceedings.

(vii) Non-Interference with Witnesses :-

The petitioners shall not directly or indirectly threaten, induce or influence any witness or person connected with the case.

(viii) Travel Restriction :-

The petitioners shall not leave the State of Tamil Nadu without prior permission of the concerned Court and shall not involve themselves in similar offences.

(ix) Cooperation for Early Disposal :-

The petitioners shall cooperate with the Court for the early disposal of the case.



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(x) Consequences of Breach :-

Any violation of the aforesaid bail conditions shall entail appropriate action against the petitioners in accordance with law, including cancellation of bail, as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *P.K. Shaji Vs. State of Kerala*, reported in AIR 2005 SCW 5506.

(xi) Absconding Consequences :-

In the event that the petitioners abscond, a fresh FIR shall be registered under Section 269 of the BNS.

Given by me, this the 04th day of July – 2026.

**Principal Sessions Judge,
Theni.**

Copy to :-

1. The Judicial Magistrate, Uthamapalayam.
2. The Public Prosecutor, Theni.
3. The Inspector of Police, Chinnamanur Police Station.
4. Counsel for the petitioners.