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Crl.M.P.No.1282/2026
Allinagaram Police Station
Crime No : 297/2026

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL SESSIONS JUDGE, THENI.

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

Principal Sessions Judge, Theni.

Friday, this the 10th day of July – 2026

Crl.M.P.No.1282/2026 - In -

CNR.No.TNTH01-002294-2026

Pandimurugan

... Petitioner/Accused

Vs.

The State rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Allinagaram Police Station,
(Cr.No.297/2026)

... Respondent / Complainant

The petition coming on this day for final hearing before me in the presence of Thiru. S. Kajamydeen, Advocate for the petitioner and Thiru. V. Veerasiva, Public Prosecutor for the State, after hearing both sides and perusing the written reply submitted by the respondent and records, this court delivers the following ...

ORDER

The petitioner, who is in judicial custody for the offences charged u/s.4(1)(A) of Tamilnadu Prohibition (Amendment) Act in Crime No.297/2026 of the respondent police since 27.06.2026 is seeking for his release on bail u/s.483 of B.N.S.S.,

2. This is an application for bail in respect of a case registered against the petitioner/accused u/s.4(1)(A) of Tamilnadu Prohibition (Amendment) Act.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the accused is an innocent person and he has not committed any offence. If he is enlarged on bail, he would furnish sufficient sureties.

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4. The prosecution is given notice. The learned Public Prosecutor strongly objected to releasing the accused on bail on the ground that the investigation is not yet completed and the accused is involved in 04 previous cases of a similar nature.

5. Considering the rival submissions, the occurrence has taken place on 27.06.2026 and the FIR was registered on the same date and the accused is in custody from 27.06.2026. A cursory perusal of the case records would go to show that the accused was found to be in possession of 05 liquor bottles and cash Rs.7,000/-, which is said to be sale proceeds of the liquor. As per the reply given by the learned Public Prosecutor, it is noticed that the accused is already involved in 04 previous cases in Crime Nos.308/2024, 336/2025, 213/2026 and 221/2026 on the file of Allinagaram Police Station and all the cases relate to offences under the Tamil Nadu Prohibition Act. The accused seems to be a habitual offender. The learned Public Prosecutor submits that the investigation is not yet completed. Since the accused has got permanent residence in the locality, if he is released on bail, there is a possibility of fleeing from justice and there is a possibility of his indulging in similar activities. Keeping in view the overall facts and circumstances of the case, this court is not inclined to grant bail to the accused at this stage. Accordingly, the petition is dismissed.



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In the result, this petition is dismissed.

Given by me, this the 10th day of July - 2026.

**Principal Sessions Judge,
Theni.**

Copy to :-

1. The Judicial Magistrate, Theni.
2. The Public Prosecutor, Theni.
3. The Inspector of Police, Allinagaram Police Station.
4. Counsels for the Petitioner.

10.07.2026

Principal Sessions Judge, Theni