



IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL SESSIONS JUDGE, THOOTHUKUDI

Present : Tmt.S.Subadevi, B.A.,B.L.,M.B.A.,

Principal Sessions Judge, Thoothukudi

Monday the 20th day of July 2026

Cr.M.P.No. 3736/2026

S.Sathishkumar (26/2026),

..Petitioner / Accused No.3

S/o. Sermathurai,

D.No.13/4, Uchimakali Amman Kovil,

Naduvaikurichi,

Sawyerpuram,

Thoothukudi District-628251.

-Vs-

State: The Inspector of Police,

...Respondent / Complainant

Sawyerpuram PS.,

Thoothukudi.

Cr. No. 137/2026

Petition u/s.482 BNSS is filed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

This Petition has come up for final hearing before this court today, in the presence of Thiru.M.Murugaperumal, Advocate for the petitioner and the learned Public Prosecutor for prosecution.

Heard both side.

ORDER

The petitioner is alleged to have committed offences on 18.06.2026 u/s.126(2), 132, 351(3), 296(b) of BNS.



The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner along with other accused wrongfully waylaid the de-facto complainant who is a public servant, abused him with with filthy language and also criminally intimidated him.

The learned Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is an innocent and not at all committed any offence as alleged by the prosecution and that this petitioner is A3 that the 1st and 2nd accused have been granted bail by the trial court in Cr.M.P. No.1287/2026 and Cr.M.P. No.1322/2026 dated 29.06.2026 and that the petitioner is ready and willing to furnish sufficient sureties for his release on anticipatory bail and that therefore, the petitioner may be enlarged on anticipatory bail.

The learned Public Prosecutor even though has raised strong objection to release the petitioner on anticipatory bail he fairly concedes that, no previous case against this petitioner.

Considering the above facts and circumstances of the case and the fact that, no previous case against this petitioner and the learned Public Prosecutor has not raised any serious objection, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner subject to the following conditions:

- i) In the event of arrest or on surrender, the petitioner is ordered to be released on anticipatory bail on executing a bond for Rs.10,000/- with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Judicial Magistrate No.I, Thoothukudi,
- ii) The petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated u/s.482 (2) (i), (ii) and (iii) of BNSS,



iii) The petitioner shall appear and sign before the respondent police station daily at 10.00 A.M from the date of release for a period of 30 days,

iv) The petitioner shall surrender before Judicial Magistrate within 15 days from the date of this order, failing which, the anticipatory bail granted to the petitioner shall stand dismissed automatically,

v) If the petitioner breaches any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Judicial Magistrate is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed by the said officer as laid down by **the Hon'ble Supreme Court in P.K.Shaji .vs. State of Kerala (2005 AIR SCW 5560)**,

vi) And if the petitioner, thereafter abscond, a fresh F.I.R may be registered against the petitioner u/s.269 of BNS.

Pronounced by me in the Open Court this the 20th day of July 2026.

Principal Sessions Judge,
Thoothukudi.

To

- The Judicial Magistrate No.I, Thoothukudi.
- The Public Prosecutor, Principal District Court, Thoothukudi
- The Inspector of Police, Sawyerpuram P.S., Thoothukudi.
- The Advocate for the petitioner.

They are requested to download the copy of the order from the official web site of this court only for purpose of furnishing sureties before the concerned court.