

**IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE,  
VIRUDHUNAGAR DISTRICT AT SRIVILLIPUTTUR.**

Present: **Thiru.K.Jeyakumar, B.L., LL.M.,**  
Principal District and Sessions Judge,  
Virudhunagar District at Srivilliputtur.  
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Dated this the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 2026, Wednesday.

**Cr.M.P. No.778/2026**

Tamilarasan

... Petitioner/ Accused.

/ Vs /

State through the Sub Inspector of Police,  
Watrap P.S.

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U/s.288 of BNS r.w. Section 9(B)(i)(a) of Indian Explosives Act. ... Respondent/ Complainant.

This petition coming on this day before me for hearing in the presence of Thiru.M.Onnazhagan, Advocate for the petitioner and Thiru.S.Thirumalaiappan, Public Prosecutor for the respondent and upon hearing the argument of both sides, this court made the following.

**ORDER**

It is an application for anticipatory bail u/s.482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS).

FIR was registered against the petitioner/A3 for the offences u/s.288 of BNS r.w. Section 9(B)(i)(a) of Indian Explosives Act. The occurrence happened on 23-02-2026.

As per FIR, on 23-02-2026 at about 13-30 hours a police party led by S.I. of Police of respondent PS were on picketing duty at Sethunarayanapuram to prohibit illegal manufacturing of crackers. The respondent police went to Sethunarayanapuram in S.No.397/1A east of burial ground, the petitioner and other accused were indulged in illegal manufacturing of crackers without any permission or license. Hence, this case.

According to the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petitioner is innocent and he has not committed any such offence and prays to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner. On the other hand, the learned Public Prosecutor contended that if the petitioner is granted anticipatory bail he would commit similar types of offences again and hence he objected to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Heard both sides. Records perused. On perusal of records would show that it is case of illegal manufacturing of crackers without permission or license and there is no untoward incident was reported at the occurrence place and that totally 4 accused involved in this case, A1 was released on station bail and A2 was already arrested and released on bail by the trial Court and A4 still in absconding. Considering the fact that A1 was released on station bail and A2 was already arrested and released on bail by the trial Court, hence, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner/A3 with the following conditions.

Accordingly the petition is allowed and the petitioner/A3 named Tamilarasan shall be released on bail in the event of his arrest or on appearance before the Judicial Magistrate, Watrap, within two weeks on the following terms:-

i) The petitioner shall execute a personal bond for Rs.10,000/- with two sureties for the likesum to the satisfaction of the Judicial Magistrate, Watrap.

ii) The petitioner/accused shall appear before the respondent PS as and when required.

iii) The petitioner shall not abscond either during the investigation or trial, that the petitioner shall not tamper with evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

iv) The petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation by a Police Officer as and when required.

v) The petitioner shall not, directly or indirectly, make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any Police Officer.

vi) On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the Judicial Magistrate is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner released on bail by the learned Judicial Magistrate herself as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in P.K.Shaji Vs. State of Kerala (2005) AIR SCW 5560.

Pronounced by me in the Open Court on this the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 2026.

Principal District and Sessions Judge,  
Virudhunagar District at  
Srivilliputtur.

To

The District Munsif cum Judicial Magistrate, Watrap.

The Inspector of Police, Watrap P.S.