

**IN THE PRINCIPAL SPECIAL COURT UNDER EC & NDPS ACT
CHENNAI-104.**

**PRESENT:- Tr. Govindharajan, B.L.,
I Additional Special Judge,
Principal Special Judge(FAC)**

Monday, the 10th day of August, 2026.

Crl.M.P.No.4547/2026
in
CNR.No.TNCH0A-005731-2026
in
Crime No.275/2026

{On the file of the Inspector of Police, P2 Otteri P.S.}

Pradeen @ Fardeen, M/A 25 yrs,
S/o.Abdul Saleem

..... Petitioner/A1

/Vs/

The State of Tamil Nadu
Rep.by:-
The Inspector of Police,
P2 Otteri P.S

.....Respondent/Complainant

This petition coming up for hearing before me on 10.08.2026 and upon perusing the material papers and records and upon hearing the arguments of M/s.G.Anand Kumar, R.Mahendran Learned Counsel for the petitioner/accused and of Thiru.T.Rajarathinam, Learned Special Public Prosecutor for respondent/complainant, this court doth make the following:-

ORDER

This petition has been filed by the petitioner/accused *u/s.483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023*, who had been arrested and remanded to judicial custody along with co-accused on 13.07.2026 for the offences punishable U/s.8(c) r/w 20(b)(ii)(B), 22(a), 29(1) of the NDPS Act, on the file of the respondent police seeking bail.

2. Notice issued to the learned Special Public Prosecutor. Reply filed. The learned Special Public Prosecutor had appeared before this court at the time of enquiry.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and he is ready to abide by any condition that shall be imposed on him by this court and hence he prays for granting bail.

4. On the other hand, the learned Special Public prosecutor submits that the investigation of this case is not yet completed and the petitioner having no previous cases. If the petitioner is released on bail, he will escape from the clutches of law and he may involve in similar nature of offence and hence prays for dismissal.

5. Point for consideration:-

Whether the accused is entitled to be released on bail?

6. Point:

1. Heard both sides. Entire records perused.
2. From the over all perusal of records, it is seen that, this petitioner/accused along with co-accused has been detained in prison on 13.07.2026. In this case, 1.100 kgs of ganja, 3 numbers of Nitrazepam tablets, 60 numbers of Tydol tablets had been recovered by the respondent police. The seized contraband is an intermediate quantity and hence Sec.37 does not arise. The petitioner/accused is under judicial custody for the past 28 days.
3. Considering the period of custody and quantity of seized contraband, this court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner/accused on condition.
4. In the result, the petitioner/accused is ordered to be released on bail on following condition:
 - That he shall execute a bond for Rs.10,000/- with two acceptable and reliable sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned X Metropolitan/Judicial Magistrate, Egmore.
 - The petitioner/accused should appear before the respondent police daily at 10.30 a.m. for a period of 15 days from the date of release.

- The petitioner/accused shall not abscond either during investigation or trail.
- The sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the copy of their aadhar card or bank pass book should be produced to ensure their identity.

Accordingly, this petition is allowed.

//Dictated by me, typed by Steno - typist directly in the system, corrected and pronounced by me in open court, this the 10th day of August, 2026.//

Principal Special Judge. (FAC)

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1. The Special Public Prosecutor, NDPS ACT Cases, Chennai.
 - 2 The learned X Metropolitan/Judicial Magistrate, Egmore.
 3. The Superintendent, Central prison Puzhal
 4. The Inspector of Police, P2 Otteri P.S.
- T.C.