

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE THE AG.CHIEF JUSTICE MR.ASHOK BHUSHAN
&
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE A.M.SHAFIQUE

FRIDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 2015/1ST PHALGUNA, 1936

WP(C).No. 5381 of 2015 (W)

PETITIONERS :

1. MRS.SULEKHA, AGED 54 YEARS
W/O.KABEER, NIHARTHI HOUSE, MALASYAPURI
PALLURUTHI VILLAGE, KOCHI TALUK, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT
PIN-682 029
2. MRS.SABEENA, AGED 35 YEARS
W/O.NASSAR BABU, NIHARTHI HOUSE, MALASYAPURI
PALLURUTHI VILLAGE, KOCHI TALUK, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT
PIN-682 029

BY ADV. SRI.P.SHAIJAN JOSEPH

RESPONDENTS :

1. ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
MATTANCHERY POLICE STATION, MATTANCHERY.P.O
ERNAKULAM DISTRICT
2. SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
MATTANCHERY POLICE STATION, MATTANCHERY.P.O
ERNAKULAM DISTRICT
3. BABU @ NASSAR BABU, S/O.HUSAIN, CHAKKARAPARAMBU HOUSE
MATTANCHERY.P.O, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT

R1 & R2 BY STATE ATTORNEY, SRI.P. VIJAYARAGHAVAN

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON
20-02-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

ASHOK BHUSHAN, Ag.C.J. & A.M. SHAFFIQUE, J.

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Dated this the 20th day of February, 2015

JUDGMENT

Shaffique, J.

Petitioners have approached this Court alleging harassment by police. The 3rd respondent is the husband of 2nd petitioner, who is involved in certain criminal cases and he is in custody of the police. It is alleged that petitioners were summoned to the police station and they were asked to produce certain gold ornaments.

2. Learned Government Pleader on instructions would submit that the 3rd respondent was involved in several criminal offences including theft of gold ornaments and petitioners were questioned. Now they are absconding from the said place and police is in search of them.

In view of the above we are of the opinion that this is not a case which involves harassment by police. Petitioners were summoned to the police station as part of investigation and for recovery of the stolen articles. Under

such circumstances we do not think that it is necessary to pass any order in this matter. Accordingly, the Writ Petition is dismissed.

**Ashok Bhushan,
Acting Chief Justice.**

**A.M. Shaffique,
Judge.**