

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR.ASHOK BHUSHAN

&

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE A.M.SHAFFIQUE

TUESDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF JUNE 2015/12TH JYAISHTA, 1937

WP(C).No. 15797 of 2015 (Y)

-----

PETITIONER(S) :-

-----

SATYAN, AGED 52 YEARS, S/O.PADMANABHAN  
SANDHYA BHAVANAM, CHERAVALLI, KAYAMKULAM P.O.-690 502.

BY ADVS.SRI.K.SHAJ  
SRI.SAJJU.S  
SRI.RENJIT GEORGE  
SMT.ANJU MOHAN  
SRI.S.K.SUJITH KRISHNA  
SRI.S.VISHNU (ARIKKATTIL)

RESPONDENT(S) :-

-----

1. THE SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE  
KAYAMKULAM, ALAPPUZHA DISTRICT - 681 006.
2. INDIRA DEVI, W/O.SATYAN  
SANDHYA BHAVANAM, CHERAVALLI, KAYAMKULAM PO-690 502.

R1 BY SR.GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI.P.I.DAVIS

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION  
ON 02-06-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE  
FOLLOWING:

jvt

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

-----  
**W.P.(C) No.15797 of 2015**  
-----

**Dated this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June 2015**

**J U D G M E N T**

**Ashok Bhushan, CJ**

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Pleader.

2. This writ petition has been filed alleging police harassment. Petitioner's case is that he is being unnecessarily summoned to the police station.

3. Learned Government Pleader on instructions would submit that the petitioner's wife, 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent herein initiated proceedings against the petitioner under the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005 as M.C.No.137 of 2012 and C.C.No.1788 of 2013. It is further submitted that on a complaint filed by the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent alleging physical assault, another crime was registered as Crime No.1739 of 2015 and the petitioner is to be questioned in that connection.

4. Under such circumstances, we do not find any police harassment in the present case. Summoning of person to the

W.P.(C) No.15797 of 2015

-: 2 :-

police station for the purpose of investigation cannot be termed as police harassment.

Hence, this writ petition is dismissed.

**Sd/-**  
**ASHOK BHUSHAN**  
**CHIEF JUSTICE**

**Sd/-**  
**A.M. SHAFFIQUE**  
**J U D G E**

//TRUE COPY//

P.A. TO JUDGE

Jvt