



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 22.09.2017

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE S.S.SUNDAR**

CRL.OP.(MD)No.12558 of 2017

1. Madasamy
2. Subbulakshmi

...Petitioners

**Vs.**

1. The Superintendent of Police,  
Tirunelveli District,  
Tirunelveli.
2. The State rep. by,  
The Inspector of Police(Law and Order),  
Nanguneri Police Station,  
Nanguneri,  
Tirunelveli District.

... Respondents

**PRAYER:** Criminal Original petition is filed under Section 482 of Criminal Procedure Code, to direct the respondents more particularly, the second respondent not to harass the petitioner further without following the due settled procedure of law forthwith.

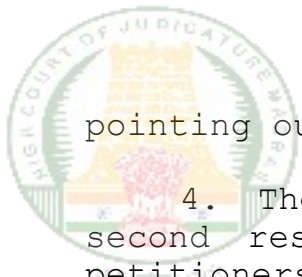
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| For Petitioners | : Mr.S.Palani Velayutham                        |
| For Respondents | : Mr.C.Ramesh,<br>Additional Public Prosecutor. |

### **ORDER**

This Criminal Original petition is filed for issuing a direction to the respondents, more particularly, the second respondent not to harass the petitioner further without following the due settled procedure of law forthwith.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents.

3. The petitioners state that a complaint has been lodged by a relative of the petitioner, namely, one Ajmalan, for missing jewels. Since the said Ajmalan suspected the involvement of the petitioners in the offence, it appears that the complaint has been lodged by him



pointing out the petitioners as accused.

4. The learned counsel for the petitioners state that the second respondent under the guise of enquiry is harassing the petitioners, suspecting them.

5. The petitioners may be called for any enquiry in relation to the complaint only by issuing summons and in the manner prescribed in law. If the allegations constitute an offence, the respondents can proceed, however, there shall not be any harassment to the petitioners.

6. With the above observations, the Criminal Original petition is closed.

Sd/-  
Assistant Registrar (AE)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

**To**

1. The Superintendent of Police,  
Tirunelveli District,  
Tirunelveli.
2. The Inspector of Police(Law and Order),  
Nanguneri Police Station,  
Nanguneri,  
Tirunelveli District.
3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,  
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,  
Madurai.

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