



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED:04.07.2017

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE V.BHARATHIDASAN

Crl.R.C(MD).No.517 of 2017

and

Crl.M.P.(MD).No.5770 of 2017

Vanitha Mahalakshmi ... Petitioner /Accused

-Vs-

K.Mariammal ... Respondent /Complainant

Prayer : Criminal Revision Case is filed under Section 397 and 401 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, against the order dated 06/08/2016 passed in Crl.M.P.No.6162 of 2014 in S.T.C.No....of 2014 on the file of the Judicial Magistrate No.1, Ramanathapuram.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.R.Jeyapalam
For Respondent : Ms.J.M.Hassanul Bazzari

O R D E R

This Criminal Revision Petition has been filed, challenging the order, condoning the delay in filing a complaint in S.T.C.No....of 2014, on the file of the learned Judicial Magistrate No.1, Ramanathapuram.

2.The respondent herein filed a private complaint under Section 138 of Negotiable Instruments Act with a delay of 17 days in filing the private complaint. The Court below condoned the delay. Challenging the above order, the present petition has been filed.

3.I have heard Mr.T.R.Jeyapalam, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and Mr.J.M.Hassanul Bazzari, appearing for the respondent and perused the records carefully.

4.The delay is only 17 days in filing the complaint and being satisfied with the reasons for the delay, the Court below exercised its discretion and condoned the delay. I have also carefully considered the materials available on record. I find that there are sufficient reasons stated for the delay. Apart from that, the lower court also exercised its discretion and condoned the delay. There is no reason to interfere with the order passed by the court below. As there is no merit in the revision, the same is liable to be dismissed.



4. In fine, this Criminal Revision Case is dismissed. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is also dismissed.

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ASSISTANT REGISTRAR (RTI)

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SUB ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

To

Judicial Magistrate No.1,
Ramanathapuram

+1 CC TO MR.T.R.JEYAPALAM, ADVOCATE, SR NO.63455

VS

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