

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 09.11.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

Crl.O.P.No.25146 of 2018

K.Sampath
S/o Karupaiya
Member
Chennai Airport Pre-paid Meter
Taxi Owner-Driver Union,
Chennai Airport,
Meenambakkam, Chennai 600 027.

..Petitioner

Vs

- 1.The Deputy Commissioner of Police,
St.Thomas Mount,
Chennai City Police,
St.Thomas Mount,
Chennai.
- 2.The Assistant Commissioner of Police,
Airport,
Chennai City Police,
Meenambakkam,
Chennai 600 027.
- 3.The Inspector of Police,
S-2, Airport Police Station,
Chennai Airport,
Chennai - 600 027.
- 4.The Secretary,
Chennai Airport Pre-paid Meter
Taxi Owner-Driver Union,
Chennai Airport, Meenambakkam,
Chennai - 600 027.

5.R.Subbarao

6.B.Baluchamy

7.Thulasiraman

8.R.S.Rajendran

9.Mariyaraj

10.Gnanaraj

..Respondents

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Prayer: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. to direct the 1st respondent to provide sufficient police protection to the petitioner and his profession and other members from the respondents 5 to 10, who are restraining the petitioner and other members from plying the taxis in international terminals of the Chennai Airport.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Palanivel

For RR1 to R3 : Mr.M.Mohamed Riyaz
Additional Public Prosecutor

For RR4 : Mr.B.Sivakumar

For RR5 to R10 : Dr.S.R.Sundaram
&
Mr.R.T.Chidambaram

ORDER

This petition has been filed seeking for a direction to the respondents to provide police protection to the petitioner and other members belonging to the Union from plying taxis in the International Terminal of the Chennai Air Port.

2. The nature of dispute that has been projected in this Criminal Original Petition relates to the permission that is granted by the International Air Port Authority of India to the taxi drivers to ply the taxis in the International Terminal of the Chennai Air Port. The police will have no role to play in all these matters. Therefore, the relief as sought for in this Criminal Original Petition cannot be granted by this Court. The plying of the taxis in the International Terminal of Chennai Air Port, is within the exclusive domain of the Air Port Authority of India and if there is any interruption that is caused, the same has to be resolved only by working it out with the concerned authorities of the Air Port Authority of India and the police will not come into the picture until their help is resorted by the Air Port Authority.

3. Accordingly, This Court does not find any merit in this case. Hence, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CO)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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4.The Public Prosecutor
High Court, Madras.

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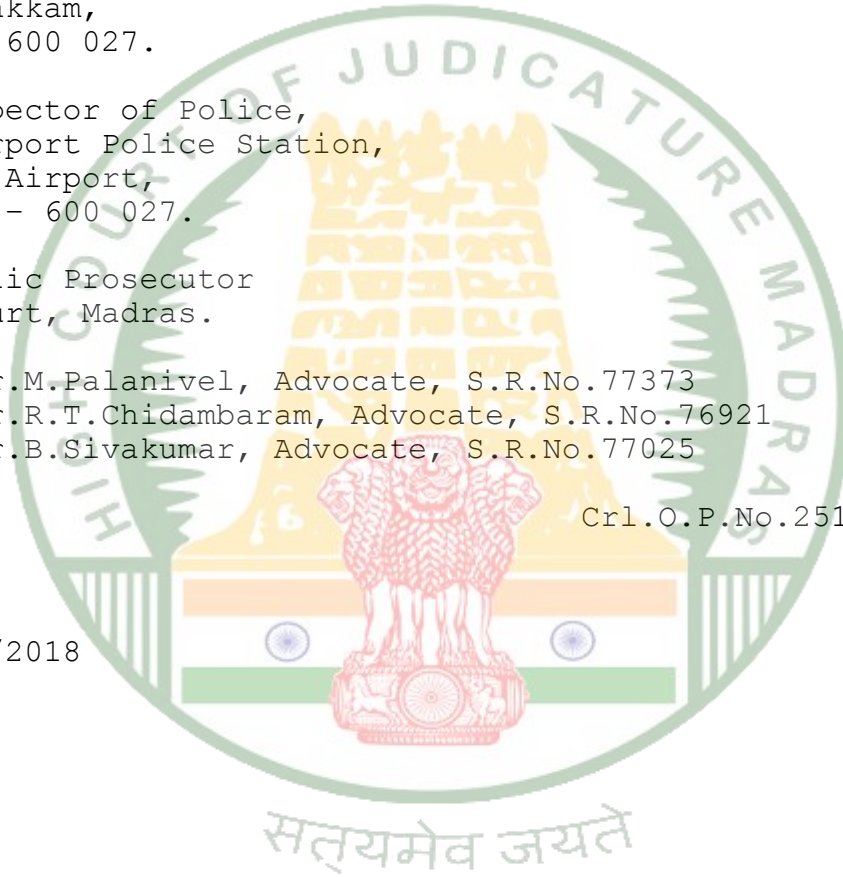
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