



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 09.01.2018

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.RAJAMANICKAM

CRL.OP.(MD) No.151 of 2018

M.Rajalakshmi

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Office of the Superintendent of Police,
Virudhunagar District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Alangulam Police Station,
Alangulam,
Virudhunagar District.

3.Mariappan

... Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original petition filed under Section 482 of Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the second respondent not to harass the petitioner under the guise of enquiry.

For Petitioner : Mr. Karantharaja
For Respondent Nos.1&2: Mr. Prabu Ramachandran
Government Advocate(Crl. Side)
For Respondent No.3 : No Appearance

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed to direct the second respondent not to harass the petitioner under the guise of enquiry based on the complaint given by the third respondent.

2.Heard Mr. Karantharaja, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. Prabu Ramachandran, learned Government Advocate(Crl.side), appearing for the respondent Nos.1 and 2.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is the daughter of the third respondent and she is 23 years old. She is a Diploma holder in Nursing and awaiting for job. He further submitted that the petitioner's father namely the ~~services court respondent~~ is making arrangements for marriage against her Will and hence she left her home and staying in her relatives house. He further submitted that since the third respondent gave



a complaint, the second respondent is frequently calling upon the petitioner to appear for the enquiry and harassing the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate has submitted that the third respondent, being the father of the petitioner gave petition to secure the petitioner and direct her to live with her parents. He further submitted that the petitioner did not appear for enquiry. On the other hand, she has sent a letter stating that she is in a safer position and she does not want to go with her parents.

5. Considering the aforesaid submissions, the second respondent has to ascertain whether the petitioner is a major and if she is a major, then leave her to live according to her choice.

6. With the aforesaid observations, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS-III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1.The Superintendent of Police,
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Virudhunagar District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Alangulam Police Station,
Alangulam,
Virudhunagar District.

3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

+1CC to Mr.R.Karantharaja, Advocate, SR.No. 41141

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