



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Thursday, the Twenty Seventh day of December Two Thousand Eighteen

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PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr Justice B.PUGALENDHI

CRL OP(MD) No.22832 of 2018

1.N. ARUN, S
2 V. NATARAJAN,
3 N. NAGARATHINAM,
4 N. PRAVEEN,

... PETITIONERS / ACCUSED
RANK NOT KNOWN

Vs

STATE: REPRESENTED BY
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
ALL WOMEN POLICE STATION,
THENI DISTRICT.

... RESPONDENT / COMPLAINANT

For Petitioners : MR.T.PON RAMKUMAR Advocate

For Respondent : MR.A.ROBINSON, Government Advocate (Crl. Side)

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec. 438 Cr.P.C.

ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioners have moved this application for anticipatory bail, that they are apprehending arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the alleged offence punishable under Sections 498(A) r/w 406, I.P.C and Sections 4 and 6 of Dowry Prohibition Act and Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Women Harassment Act in Crime No. Not Known of 2018 on the file of the respondent police.

2.Today, when the matter is taken up for hearing, the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent police, on instructions, submitted that a petition enquiry is pending against the petitioners before the respondent police station.

3.Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the respondent police is directed to complete the petition enquiry as contemplated in **Lalitha Kumari Vs State of Government of Uttar Pradesh and others** case, reported in **2013 (6) CTC 353**, within the stipulated time. The petitioner is also directed to cooperate with the respondent police for the enquiry and at the time of enquiry, the petitioners shall not be harassed by the respondent police.



4. In the event, if the respondent police is decided to proceed with the complaint by registering FIR, the petitioners are at liberty to move for regular anticipatory bail. Till then, the respondent police is directed not to arrest the petitioners.

5. With the above directions, the Criminal Original Petition is closed.

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27/12/2018

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (C.S.)
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai - 625 023.

TO

1. THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
ALL WOMEN POLICE STATION,
THENI DISTRICT.

2 THE ADDITIONAL PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT,
MADURAI.

+1. CC to Mr.T.PON RAMKUMAR Advocate SR.No.24088

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