

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 01.08.2019

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

CRL.O.P No.20558 of 2019
and Crl.M.P No.10593 of 2019

1. M.Siddhathavelu

2. Priscilla Siddhatha @ Priscilla Margaret Dhanraj
...Petitioners

Vs.

1. The Inspector of Police,
Anti-Trafficking Cell, CBCID,
Egmore, Chennai - 600 008.

2. S.Arvind
...Respondents

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Criminal Procedure Code, praying to call for the records and quash the charge sheet in C.C.No.51 of 2018 on the file of the Judicial Magistrate Court I at Chengalpattu.

For Petitioner: Ms.P.Kavitha

For Respondents: Mr.M.Mohamed Riyaz

Additional Public Prosecutor for R1

ORDER

This petition has been filed challenging the proceedings initiated by the respondent against the petitioners under Sections 3(1), 4(1), 5(1)(b), 7(1)(b) of Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act-1959 and Section 67 of Information Technology Act, 2000.

2. The grounds raised by the counsel for the petitioners are all factual in nature and it requires appreciation of evidence and this Court cannot decide the same in exercise of its jurisdiction under Section 482 of Criminal Procedure Code. It is left open to the petitioner to raise all the grounds before the Court below and the same shall be considered on its own merits and in accordance with law. This Court is not inclined to interfere with the proceedings pending before the Court below.

3. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of with a direction to the Court below to complete the proceedings in C.C.No.51 of 2018 within a period of three months from the date of receipt of copy of this order. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

-s/d-

Assistant Registrar (CS-IV)

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To

1. The Judicial Magistrate Court I,
Chengalpattu

2. Do Thro The Chief Judicial Magistrate
Chengalpattu

3. The Inspector of Police,
Anti-Trafficking Cell, CBCID,
Egmore, Chennai - 600 008.

4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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