



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 13.03.2020

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

Crl.O.P (MD)No.4564 of 2020

M.Karuppu

... Petitioner

Vs

State through the Inspector of Police,
Mathichiyam Crime Police Station,
Madurai Town, Madurai.

... Respondent

PRAYER: Petition filed under Section 482 Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the respondent police not to harass the petitioner on the guise of an enquiry.

For Petitioner	: Mr.R.Sevugaraja
For Respondent	: Mr.A.Robinson
	Government Advocate (Crl.side)

ORDER

The petitioner alleges harassment at the hands of the respondent herein.

2.When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned Government Advocate (Crl.side) submitted that the petitioner is not an accused. It appears that he was only summoned for enquiry in order to identify the suspect. The petitioner appears to have extended his fullest co-operation. This Court makes it clear that the petitioner is not an accused and he will not be harassed. If this direction is breached, this Court will take a serious view of the matter.

3.In view of the above, this criminal original petition is allowed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AD-II)

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To

1.The Inspector of Police,
Mathichiyam Crime Police Station,
Madurai Town, Madurai

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

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