



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 13.10.2020

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

Crl.O.P (MD)No.11230 of 2020

Anuradha

... Petitioner

Vs

The Commissioner of Police,
Thirichirapalli City,
Thirichirapalli.

... Respondent

PRAYER: Petition filed under Section 482 Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the respondent and his special team police of the respondent not to harass the petitioner under the guise of enquiry.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Jegadeesh Pandian

For Respondent : Mr.V.Neelakandan

Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent.

2.The petitioner is a 40 year old woman. The petitioner alleges that a group of police officials unlawfully entered into her house on 02.09.2020 and again on 09.09.2020 and again on 26.09.2020. The entry of the police team on 26.09.2020 has been captured in the CCTV.

3.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor would claim that the petitioner is figuring as accused in quite a few cases and that against her son, there are cases. He would further claim that non bailable warrant was issued against the petitioner's son and to execute the same, the police team went to the petitioner's house. The petitioner had made a specific statement that the police team did not comprise any woman police.

4.I cannot appreciate the conduct of the said police team. The respondent is directed to ensure that in cases involving women, due process of law prescribed in Cr.P.C., is scrupulously adhered to. Any deviation will definitely be construed as violation of the



petitioner's human rights and consequence will definitely follow.

5. With this direction to the respondent, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

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To

1. The Commissioner of Police,
Thirichirapalli City,
Thirichirapalli.

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

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