



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 17.03.2020

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

Crl.O.P(MD) .No.13616 of 2018

and

Crl.M.P. (MD)No.6135 of 2018

Krishnasamythevar @ Krishnasamy Pandian ... Petitioner/
Sole Accused

Vs

1.State Represented by the ... 1st Respondent/
Inspector of Police, Complainant
Kovilpatti West Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.

2.Velladurai ... 2nd Respondents/
Defacto complainant

Prayer : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 407(1) (A) of Cr.P.C. to withdraw the S.C.No.278 of 2015, from the file of the Assistant Sessions Judge, Kovilpatti and transfer the same to any court situated at Madurai.

For Petitioners : Mr.M.Prabu

For R1 : Mr.A.Robinson
Government Advocate (Crl. side)

ORDER

The petitioner is arrayed as accused in S.C.No.278 of 2015, on the file of the Assistant Sessions Judge, Kovilpatti, seeking to some other Court. The petitioner states that he is apprehending physical harm at the instance of the second respondent and his henchmen.

2.The learned Government Advocate (Crl. side) on instructions, states that the first respondent will ensure the safety of the petitioner for attending the Court hearings. The petitioner can



intimate the first respondent in advance. It would be the duty of the first respondent to ensure that he does not suffer any harm at the hands of the second respondent and his henchmen. The petitioner can appear before the trial Court only on those occasions, when important witnesses are examined and on other occasions, when his presence is necessary or imperative. On all other hearing dates, the Court below can dispense with the personal appearance of the petitioner herein.

3.With this direction, the Criminal Original Petition stands dismissed. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

1.The Assistant Sessions Judge,
Kovilpatti.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Kovilpatti West Police Station,
Thoothukudi District.

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

+1 CC.to Mr. M. PRABU, ADVOCATE, SR.NO.12168

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