

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 26.08.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

Crl.O.P.No.25924 of 2018

and

Crl.M.P.No.14866 of 2018

1. Krishnan

2. Gandhimathi

3. Valli

4. Pillappan

.. Petitioners

Vs.

1. State Rep by Inspector of Police,
All Womens Police Station,
Tiruvallur (in crime No.11 of 2018)

2. Prema

.. Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to call for the records in Crime No.11 of 2018 on the file of the respondent and quash the investigation therein.

For Petitioners : Mr.M.K.Boopathy Rajan

For Respondent No1. : Mr.A.Gopinath
Government Advocate(Crl.Side)

For Intervenor : Mr.S.Mahendran

ORDER

The petitioners have filed this petition seeking to call for the records and to quash the proceedings in Crime No.11 of 2018, on the file of the 1st respondent.

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 petitioners to raise all the grounds before the Investigating Officer 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 1st respondent Police.

3.It is now represented by the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners that without going into the merits of the case, it would suffice, if this Court issues direction to the law enforcing agency to expedite the investigation and complete the same as early as possible.

4.In view of the above, this Court directs the 1st respondent

Police, to expedite the investigation in Crime No.11 of 2018 and complete the same, within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. With the above directions, this criminal original petition is disposed of. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions, if any, are closed.

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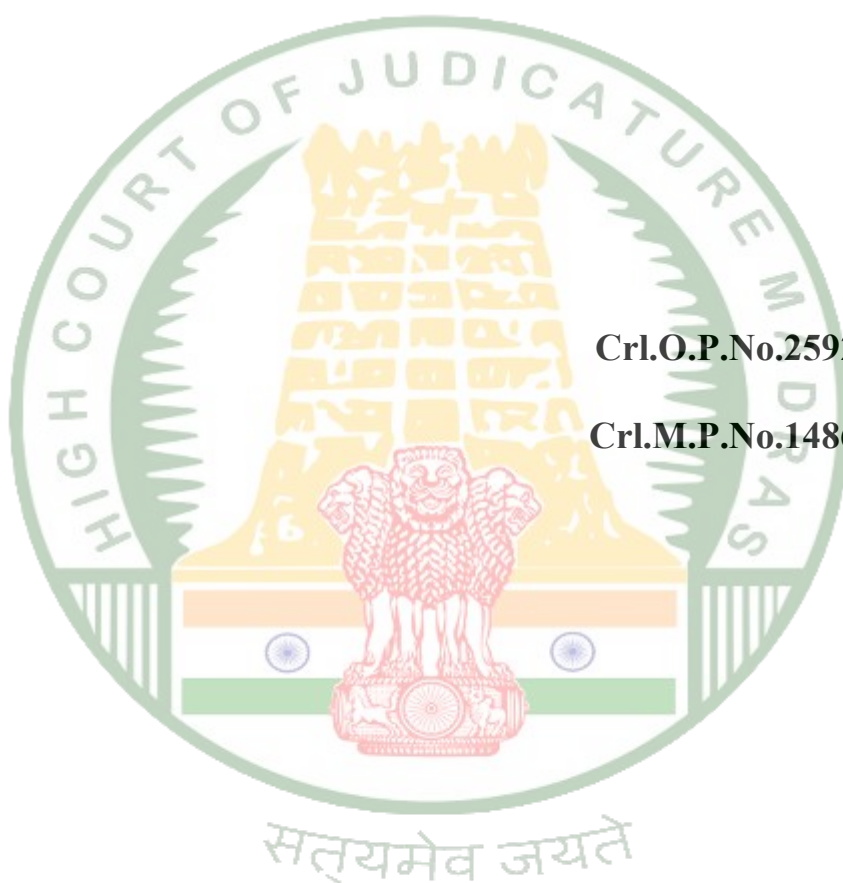
1. The Inspector of Police,
All Womens Police Station,
Tiruvallur

2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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M.DHANDAPANI, J.

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