



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 11.03.2021

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE Mrs. JUSTICE R. HEMALATHA

Crl.O.P.(MD)No.3747 of 2021

1.Ravichandran

2.Sivakumar

... Petitioners

Vs.

1.The Superintendant of Police

Virudhunagar District,

Virudhunagar.

2.The Deputy Superintendant of Police

Virudhunagar,

Virudhunagar District.

3.The Inspector of Police

District Crime Branch,

Virudhunagar,

Virudhunagar District.

4.K.Narayanasamy

... Respondents

Prayer : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the third respondent not to harass the petitioners.

For Petitioners : Mr.G.Gomathi Sankar

For Respondents 1 to 3 : Mr.A.Robinson

Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

For 4th Respondent : Mr.Mareesh Kumar

ORDER

The present petition is filed by the petitioners under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, praying to direct the third respondent not to harass the petitioners.

2.Mr.A.Robinson, learned Government Advocate (Criminal side), who accepts notice on behalf of the respondents 1 to 3, on instructions, would submit that the fourth respondent, lodged a complaint against the petitioners and the same was registered in Current Petition No.25/GB/DCB/VNR/21 and is pending for enquiry.

3.Recording the submissions made by the learned Government Advocate (Criminal side), the third respondent police is directed to follow the guidelines issued in the decisions in **D.K.Basu Vs. State of West Bengal** reported in **AIR (1997) SC 610** and **Lalitha Kumari Vs. Government of Uttarpradesh** reported in **(2014) 2 SCC 1**.



4.With the above observation, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-I)

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Virudhunagar,
Virudhunagar District.

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

+1 CC to M/s.G.GOMATHI SANKAR, Advocate (SR-10735[F] dated 12/03/2021)

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