



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 09.03.2021

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE Mrs. JUSTICE **R. THARANI**

Crl.O.P.(MD)No.3642 of 2021
and
Crl.M.P.(MD)No.2011 of 2021

P.Isai Selvan ... Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs.

1.The Inspector of Police,
Cheranmahadevi,
Tirunelveli District.

Cr.No. 79 of 2020.

... Respondent/Complainant

2.Vallinayagam

... Respondent/Defacto Complainant

Prayer : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C., to call for the records pertaining to the FIR in Crime No.79 of 2020 dated 28.03.2020 for an offence U/s.269 of IPC on the file of Respondent No.1 and Quash the same as illegal.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Rajesh Kumar
For Respondent No.1 : Mr.S.Chandrasekar
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C praying to call for the records pertaining to the First Information Report in Crime No.79 of 2020, dated 28.03.2020, on the file of the first respondent and to quash the same.

2.On the side of the petitioner, it is stated that the case against the petitioner is non-wearing of mask in the public place and for violation of COVID-19 regulations.

3.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the first respondent has no serious objection.

4.It is seen that already in a similar case in Jeevanantham Vs. State of Tamil Nadu, this Court has quashed the F.I.R.

5. In view of the same, the Criminal Original Petition is allowed and the First Information Report in Crime No.79 of 2020,



dated 28.03.2020, is hereby quashed. Consequently, connected
Miscellaneous Petition is closed

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CSII)

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of the advocate/litigant concerned.

To

1.The Inspector of Police,
Cheranmahadevi,
Tirunelveli District.

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

+1 CC to M/s.R.RAJESH KUMAR, Advocate (SR-10244[F] dated 11/03/2021
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