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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 17.06.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUMAR

CRL.O.P.NO.6838 OF 2022

M.Mohammed Ismail

... Petitioner

Vs

The State rep. By
The Inspector of Police,
Sooramangalam Police Station,
Sooramangalam,
Salem.

... Respondent

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. to direct the respondent or his men or agents not to harass this petitioner without following the due process of law.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Srinivas

For Respondents : Mr.N.Muthuvel,
Government Advocate (crl.side)

O R D E R

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed to direct the respondent not to harass the petitioner.

2. Heard learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (crl.side) for the respondent police.

3. The term harassment is so subjective which cannot be encapsulated in objective criterion. The petitioner having given a complaint is bound to cooperate with the Police for enquiry. Admittedly, the enquiry is pending. Without cooperating with the Police, they cannot seek such a blanket direction.



4. In such a view of the matter, the prayer sought for by the petitioner is rejected. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is closed. The Police shall issue notice, within two weeks, from today, for causing the appearance of the petitioner, for enquiry and after enquiring the petitioner, the Police may either register a complaint, if any cognizable offence is made out or close the complaint.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS-VII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
Sooramangalam Police Station,
Sooramangalam,
Salem.
2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+1cc to M/s.P.Srinivas, Advocate, S.R.No.37523

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