



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Tuesday, the Twenty Eighth day of June Two Thousand Twenty Two

PRESENT

The Hon`ble Mr Justice G.K. ILANTHIRAIYAN

CRIMINAL ORIGINAL PETITION No.14373 of 2022

B.PRASANNA LAKSHMI

[PETITIONER / ACCUSED]

Vs

STATE REPRESENTED BY
THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
W9, ALL WOMEN POLICE STATION,
VILLIVAKKAM,
CHENNAI - 600 049
CRIME NO. NOT KNOWN OF 2022

[RESPONDENT]

For Petitioner : M/S.N.S.JAYANTHI Advocate

For Respondent : MR.A.DAMODARAN, Additional public Prosecutor

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec. 438 Cr.P.C.

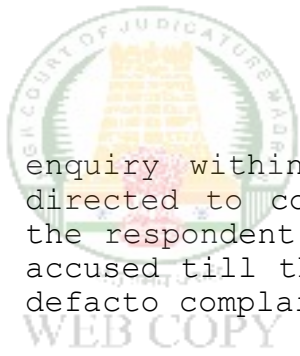
ORDER : The Court Made the following order :-

The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 323, 341 & 506(ii) of I.P.C and Section 4 of Women Harassment Act, in Crime No. Not known of 2022, seeks anticipatory bail.

2.Today, when the matter is taken up for hearing, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent Police submitted that the petition enquiry in C.S.R.No.155 of 2022 dated 27.05.2022 is pending against the petitioner.

3.The learned Counsel for the petitioner submitted that the respondent police is harassing the petitioner under the guise of enquiry.

4. Considering the facts and circumstances, the respondent police is directed to conduct enquiry and if any prima facie case is made out against the petitioner, register the F.I.R or close the petition



enquiry within a period of two weeks from today. The parties are directed to cooperate with the enquiry. It is needless to say that the respondent police shall not take any coercive steps to secure the accused till the completion of enquiry on the complaint lodged by the defacto complainant.

5. With the above directions, this criminal original petition is disposed of.

-sd/-
28/06/2022

This order, on being produced, be punctually observed and carried into execution by all concerned

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Sub-Assistant Registrar (Statistics/C.S.)
High Court, Madras - 600 104.

TO

1 THE INSPECTOR OF POLICE,
W9, ALL WOMEN POLICE STATION,
VILLIVAKKAM,
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2 THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

CC to M/S.N.S.JAYANTHI Advocate on payment of necessary charges

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Date :28/06/2022

JPA 30/06/2022