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Cr1.O.P.(MD)No.628 of 2022

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 12.01.2022

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

Cr1.O.P (MD) No.628 of 2022

1.Sakarai

2.Pandiammal

3.Meenatchi

... Petitioners

Vs

1.The Superintendent of Police,
O/o. The Superintendent of Police,
Madurai District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
O/o. The Inspector of Police,
Anti Land Grabbing,
Madurai District.

3.Palsamy

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Section 482 Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the second respondent not to harass the petitioners in the guise of enquiry.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Maharaja
For R1 & R2 : Mr.M.Sakthi Kumar
Government Advocate

ORDER

The petitioners allege harassment at the hands of the respondent police. To forbear them from doing so, this Criminal Original Petition has been filed.

2. When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned Government Advocate(crl.) submitted that enquiry is pending.

3. In these circumstances, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of with the following directions:-

"(a) The respondent police will issue written summons to the petitioners for causing their appearance before him for

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enquiry. There is no question of orally summoning the petitioner to the police station.

(b) The respondent police will conclude the enquiry within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

(c) If at the end of the enquiry, cognizable offence is made out and the respondent police proposes to register any FIR, the petitioner will be given notice of the same so that the petitioner will have breathing time to move the concerned Court for the relief of anticipatory bail.

(d) If the case is purely civil in nature, the complaint has to be closed."

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CrI side)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

1.The Superintendent of Police,
O/o. The Superintendent of Police,
Madurai District.

2.The Inspector of Police,
O/o. The Inspector of Police,
Anti Land Grabbing, Madurai District.

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

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