



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 24.01.2022

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN
Crl.O.P. (MD)No.1117 of 2022

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R.Gandhi

... Petitioner

vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Theni District,
Theni.

2.The Sub Inspector of Police,
Palanichettipatty Police Station,
Theni District.

3.Samiraj
4.Karthickraja
5.Nageshwara Kannan
6.Paul Sundar
7.Madhanakala
8.Eashwaran
9.Periyasamy

... Respondents

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C., to direct the first respondent to provide adequate police protection for peaceful enjoyment of the petitioner's property survey No.415/4 an extent of 1 Acre 21 cents situated at Koduvilarpatti Village, Theni Taluk & District based on the representation dated 11.01.2022 made before the first respondent and other higher officials.

For Petitioner
For R1 & R2

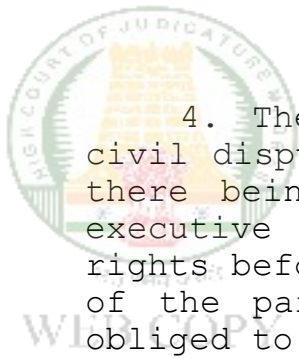
: Mr.R.Murugan
: Mr.M.Sakthi Kumar
Government Advocate (Crl.)

O R D E R

Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (crl.side) appearing for the respondents 1 & 2.

2. Considering the nature of relief to be granted, issuance of notice to the private respondents is dispensed with.

3. It appears that there is a dispute going on between the petitioner on the one hand and the private respondents on the other. The petitioner alleges the police are interfering in the civil



4. The police are strictly directed not to interfere in the civil dispute. It is not open to them to lock any premises without there being an order from the jurisdictional civil court or the executive magistrate. It is for the parties to work out their rights before the jurisdictional civil court. If of-course the acts of the parties amount to any cognizable offence, the police are obliged to register an FIR and take action as per law.

5. Directing the police to stick to due process, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AE)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

1. The Superintendent of Police,
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Theni.
2. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Palanichettipatty Police Station,
Theni District.
3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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