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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

Dated: 02/12/2022

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The Hon'ble Mr.Justice **G.ILANGO VAN**

Crl.RC(MD)No.408 of 2022

1.Saranya Devi
2.Minor Kanishka
3.Minor Dhiya
(Petitioners 2 an 3 being
minors rep. By natural guardian
and mother 1st petitioner) : Petitioners/Petitioners

Vs.

K.Ravisankar : Respondent/Respondent

Prayer:- This Criminal Revision has been filed under section 397 r/w 401 of the Criminal Procedure Code to call for the records and to set aside the order passed in MC No.29 of 2020, dated 28/12/2021 by the Family Court, Sivagangai and to enhance the amount of compensation in respect of two minor children/petitioners 2 and 3 herein.

For Petitioners : Mr.B.Santhanam Rajesh Kumar

For Respondent : Mr.J.Jeyakumaran

**ORDER**

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This Criminal Revision has been filed seeking to set aside the order passed in MC No.29 of 2020, dated 28/12/2021 by the Family Court, Sivagangai and enhance the amount of compensation in respect of two minor children/petitioners 2 and 3 herein.

2.The facts in brief:-

On 01/11/2009, the marriage between the respondent and the 1st revision petitioner herein took place, on 01/11/2009 in Sivagangai as per their customary rites. After the marriage, they were residing in Chennai. A female child was born, on 07/08/2010. After that, another child was also born. The wife got seat in M.Phil Degree in Sivagangai Mannar Durai Singam College. With the consent of the husband, the wife was staying in parental home and completed M.Phil Degree course. The entire educational expenses were borne by the husband. Apart from that, he is also paying Rs.25,000/- for her expenses. Later, the wife joined in Karaikudi Alagappa University and undergoing Doctorate Degree. At that time, the husband was addicted to liquor and started misbehaving and ill-treating her. He is working as Team



3. That was resisted by the husband stating that he is looking after the educational expenses of the wife and her child and he is also regularly sending money towards expenses. Since he is working in Chennai, his monthly personal expenses also comes to around Rs.30,000/- and the parents of the husband also visited the children.

4. At the conclusion of the enquiry, the trial court directed the husband to pay a sum of Rs.3,550/- each to the children. Apart from that, the husband must also bear the school expenses and that must be directed to pay to the school.

5. Now challenging the above said quantum, this petition has been filed by the children through their mother. Finding that it is an issue between the father of children with regard to the maintenance, the matter was



6. So in view of the above said, this court is of the considered view that Rs.20,000/- is fixed towards monthly maintenance to both children, apart from the school expenses as already ordered by the trial court.

7. In the result, this criminal revision is **partly allowed**. The respondent/husband is directed to pay a sum of **Rs.20,000/-** as enhanced maintenance to the petitioners 2 and 3 jointly from the date of filing of this revision.

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