



Criminal Original Petition No.1385 of 2022

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 03.07.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

Criminal Original Petition No.1385 of 2022

and

Crl.M.P.No.543 of 2022

S.V.Radhakrishnan
S/o.(Late) Venkatachalam

...Petitioner

Vs

1.The State represented by
The Inspector of Police,
D-6 Anna Square Police Station,
Chennai - TIW East, Chennai.
[Crime No.214 of 2021]

2.S.Veeramani
S/o.Sekar

... Respondents

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, praying to call for the records and quash the FIR in Crime No.214 of 2021 on the file of the first respondent.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Manivannan

For Respondents : Mr.A.Damodaran
Additional Public Prosecutor [R1]

ORDER



This petition has been filed seeking to quash the First Information

Report in Crime No. 214 of 2021 on the file of first respondent.

2. Heard Mr.M.Manivannan, learned counsel for petitioner and Mr.A.Damodaran, learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for State/first respondent.

3. The contentions put forward by learned counsel appearing on behalf of petitioner are purely factual in nature and this Court cannot venture into conducting a mini investigation into the matter and it therefore does not fall within the ambit of its jurisdiction under Section 482 Cr.P.C. Any finding on facts will also have a bearing on the investigation conducted by the respondent Police.

4. In the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is not inclined to interfere with the investigation conducted by the respondent Police at this stage.

In the result, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed and the



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respondent Police is directed to proceed further with the investigation in accordance with law and complete the investigation and file a final report or a closure report, as the case may be, within a period of four (4) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Index : Yes/No
Speaking order: Yes/No
Neutral citation: Yes/No
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To

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2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

N.ANAND VENKATESH, J



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