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[IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 07.07.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

Crl.O.P No.15050 of 2023
and Crl.M.P No.9392 of 2023

Shanmugasundaram

Petitioner

vs.

1.State By: The Inspector of Police,
Central Crime Branch-I,
Chennai.
(Crime No.40 of 2023)

2.J.S.R.L.Swamy
Chief Manager (Maintenance)
SBI, RACPA, Chennai,
No.16, Whannels Road,
1st Floor, Egmore,
Chennai – 600 008.

Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to call for the records in Crime No.40 of 2023 on the file of Inspector of Police, Central Crime Branch-I, Chennai insofar as this petitioner is concerned and quash the same.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sasikumar

For Respondents : Mr.A.Damodaran
Additional Public Prosecutor for R1



ORDER

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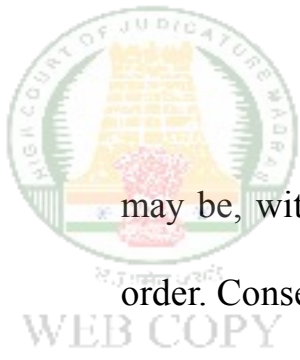
This petition has been filed to call for the records in Crime No.40 of 2023 on the file of the Inspector of Police, Central Crime Branch-I, Chennai and quash the same.

2.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing on behalf of the 1st respondent.

3.The contentions put forward by the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the 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 of 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.

5. In the result, this Criminal Original Petition is dismissed and the 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 three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Index : Yes/No
Internet : Yes/No
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To

1.The Inspector of Police,
Central Crime Branch-I,
Chennai.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras,
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