



Crl.O.P No.18235 of 2023

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 16.08.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

Crl.O.P No.18235 of 2023

and

Crl.M.P.No.12109 of 2023

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S/o.S.Durai

... Petitioner

vs.

1.State Represented by its

Inspector of Police,

Villivakkam Police Station,

Anna Nagar, Chennai.

(Crime No.368 of 2022)

2.A.S.Gajendran

... Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to call for the records relating to F.I.R. in Crime No.368 of 2022 on the file of Inspector of Police, Villivakkam Police Station, Anna Nagar, Chennai and quash the same.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Arivazhagan

For Respondent-1 : Mr.A.Damodaran

Additional Public Prosecutor



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ORDER

This petition has been filed to call for the records in Crime No.368 of 2022 on the file of the Inspector of Police, Villivakkam Police Station, Anna Nagar, Chennai and quash the same.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing on behalf of first 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.



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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

Speaking Order/Non-Speaking Order
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To

1.The Inspector of Police,
Villivakkam Police Station,
Anna Nagar, Chennai.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras,
Madras.



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