



Crl.O.P. No.17870 of 2023

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS**

**DATED : 14.08.2023**

**CORAM**

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH**

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Chinnusamy  
S/o.Late Muthusamy

.. Petitioner

**Vs.**

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

2. The Inspector of Police,  
Attur Rural Police Station,  
Salem District.

3. Rajendiran  
S/o.Pichamuthu

4. Parameshwaran  
S/o.Rajendiran

..Respondents

**PRAYER :** Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, praying to direct the second respondent to provide necessary police protection for harvesting the petitioner's cultivation



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of betal nuts in the petitioner's agriculture land comprised in Survey No.381/1 and 381/2 situated at Appammasamuthiram, Attur Taluk, Salem District in pursuant to the petitioner's representation dated 11.07.2023.

For Petitioner : Mr. M. Subash

For Respondent : Mr.A.Damodaran  
Additional Public Prosecutor [R1 & R2]

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### **ORDER**

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the second respondent to provide necessary police protection for harvesting the petitioner's cultivation of betal nuts in the petitioner's agriculture land comprised in Survey No.381/1 and 381/2 situated at Appammasamuthiram, Attur Taluk, Salem District in pursuant to the petitioner's representation dated 11.07.2023.

2. Learned Additional Public Prosecutor, on instructions, submitted that based on the complaint given by the petitioner, petition enquiry is pending in CSR No.354 of 2023 on the file of the second respondent.

3. The petitioner is directed to co-operate with the police for enquiry



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and the respondent police shall conduct the enquiry keeping in mind the judgment in *Lalitha Kumari vs. Government of Uttar Pradesh* reported in **2013 (6) CTC 353**. On completion of the enquiry, the respondent police shall take a decision regarding the further course of action. This process shall be completed by the respondent police within a period of two (2) weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

With the above direction, this Criminal Original Petition is closed.

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