



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 18.04.2023

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE **MR. JUSTICE K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN**

Crl.O.P.(MD) No.5619 of 2021

and

Crl.M.P(MD)No.3221 of 2021

1.G.Rajendra  
2.Velammal  
3.Illarajothi  
4.Kumutha

... Petitioners/Accused 2 to 5

Vs.

1.State represented by the  
The Inspector of Police,  
All Women Police Station,  
Palayamkottai,  
Tirunelveli District.  
(Crime No.27 of 2020)

... 1<sup>st</sup> Respondent/Complainant

2.M.Nishi Ralph

... 2<sup>nd</sup> Respondent/Defacto Complainant

**PRAYER:** Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C, to call for the records relating to the case in Crim No.27 of 2020 on the file of the Inspector of Police, All Women Police Station, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli City and quash the same as illegal in so far as the petitioners are concerned.

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| For Petitioners | : Mr.M.Kannan                                          |
| For R1          | : Mr.M.Muthumanikkam<br>Government Advocate (Crl.Side) |
| For R2          | : Mr.S.Siva Prakash<br>Legal Aid Counsel               |

**ORDER**

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The petitioners are A2 to A5 in Crime No.27 of 2020 on the file of the Inspector of Police, All Women Police Station, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli District, and they filed this petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C., to quash the case in Crime No.27 of 2020 which was filed for the offences under Sections 294(b), 417, 420 and 506(1) of IPC and Section 4 of Dowry Prohibition Act.

2.In the FIR, it is alleged that the defacto complainant was fell in love with the first accused and the first accused had sexual intercourse with the defacto complainant by giving a false promise that he will marry her and subsequently, refused to marry her. So, the defacto complainant approached the family members of the first accused namely, the petitioners herein. The petitioners herein made threatening to her life and hence, the respondent police registered a case against all the accused including the petitioners.

3.The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) would submit that in this case, the Investigating Officer after conducting detailed investigation, closed the case as 'Action dropped' and RCS notice was served to the defacto complaint.



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4. Recording the submission made by the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side), this Criminal Original Petition is closed. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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NCC : Yes / No  
Index : Yes / No  
Internet : Yes / No

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To

1. The The Inspector of Police,  
All Women Police Station,  
Palayamkottai,  
Tirunelveli District.
2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,  
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,  
Madurai.



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**K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN, J.**

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