



Crl.OP.No.7264 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 26.03.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

Crl.O.P.No.7264 of 2024

1. Mrs.Beulah Charles,
W/o.Mr.Charles Appadurai

2. Mr.Vasanthan Charles

... Petitioners

Vs.

1. The Additional Director General of Police,
Law and Order, Tamil Nadu.

2. The Commissioner of Police,
Greater Chennai City Area,
Vepery, Chennai -600 007.

3. The Joint Commissioner of Police (West),
Anna Nagar Western Extn., Chennai – 600 101.

4. The Inspector of Police (Crimes),
V-5, Thirumangalam Police Station,
Anna Nagar Western Extn., Chennai – 600 101.

... Respondents

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C., to direct the respondent police not to harass the petitioners herein in the complaint given by one Mr.Rangesh registered as CSR No.19 of 2024 on the file of the fourth respondent.



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For Petitioners : Mr.J.Chelladurai Caldwell

For Respondents : Mr.A.Damodaran
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondent police not to harass the petitioners herein on the complaint given by one Mr.Rangesh, which is pending enquiry in CSR No.19 of 2024 on the file of the fourth respondent.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondents.

3. Learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that the first petitioner is not required for any enquiry and the second petitioner is arrayed as accused in Crime No.81 of 2024.

4. Once the regular FIR has been registered, the question of “Not to harass” will not arise. Any direction issued by this Court at this stage will amount to interfering with the investigation conducted by the respondent police.



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Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is closed insofar as the first petitioner is concerned and the Criminal Original Petition is dismissed insofar as the second petitioner is concerned.

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Speaking Order/Non-speaking Order

Index : Yes/No

Neutral citation: Yes/No

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