



CRL OP NO. 31402 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 17-12-2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA

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R.Heram

S/o G.Rangarajan, Presently residing at No. 6/1,
Selliamman Nagar, Velacherry, Chennai. 42. Permanent
address, No.1/31, Nroth Street, Ulundurpattai Taluk,
Parikkal, Villuppuram District - 607 204.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

The State Rep by
The Inspector of Police, All Women Police Station,
Theyagarayanagar, Chennai - 600 017. (Crime No. Not
known of 2024)

Respondent(s)

For Petitioner(s):

Aranganathan Arunkumar
P.Ayyaswamy
N.Seshadhri
K.Thanigaivel

For Respondent(s): `Mr.S.Santhosh, Govt. Adv. [Crl. Side]
Public Prosecutor

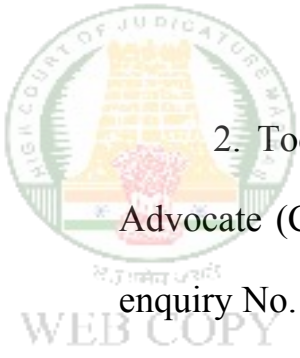
ORDER

Apprehending arrest in connection with Crime No.Not Known of 2024

registered for the offences punishable under Sections 75, 351 (3) of BNS, Act, 2023

r/w Section 4 of Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Women Harassment Act, the present

petition has been filed by the petitioner seeking anticipatory bail.



2. Today, when the matter is taken up for hearing, the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent Police submitted that the petition enquiry No. 48 of 2024 is pending against the petitioner.

3. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the respondent Police.

4. Recording the submission made by the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side), it is hereby directed that the respondent police has to issue notice under Section 35 of BNSS to the petitioner and the petitioner is directed to appear before the respondent police and the Investigating Officer has to conduct the enquiry by strictly following the procedures therein and if any *prima facie* case is made out against the petitioner, register the F.I.R or close the petition enquiry at the earliest.

5. The parties are directed to cooperate with the enquiry. It is needless to say that the respondent police shall not take any coercive steps to secure the accused till the completion of enquiry on the complaint lodged by the *de facto* complainant.

6. With the above directions, this Criminal Original Petition stands disposed of.

17-12-2024

MSM



A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA, J

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