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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 10.04.2024

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

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... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Superintendent of Police

Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.

2. The Inspector of Police

Anti Land Grabbing Special Cell,
Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.

3. The Inspector of Police

District Crime Branch,
Thoothukudi District.
Thoothukudi.

... Respondents

Prayer : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to call for the Proceedings dated 09.07.2022 on the file Inspector of Police, Anti Land Grabbing Special Cell, Thoothukudi Thoothukudi District in C.No.P4/14863/1452/2022 and C.No.233/ALGSC/TUT/2022 and set aside the same and consequentially direct the 3rd



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respondent to act in accordance with law on the basis of the representation dated 27.01.2024.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Vinayak
For Respondents : Mr.T.Senthil Kumar
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

The petitioner / defacto complainant has approached this Court as against the closure report filed by the Inspector of Police, Anti Land Grabbing Special Cell, Thoothukudi Thoothukudi District.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that though the investigation officer has come to a conclusion that it is a case of cheating, the respondent police, after registering the case, referred the petitioner to approach the civil Court.

3. Since the closure report has already been filed before the competent authority, the petitioner has to approach the concerned Magistrate by filing protest petition, if he is aggrieved.



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4. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to file a protest petition before the concerned Magistrate. On such filing of protest petition, the concerned Magistrate either pass an order, for registering a case or for further investigation or permit the petitioner to file petition under Section 200 Cr.P.C, in accordance with law.

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Index : Yes/No

Internet: Yes

NCC : Yes/No

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4. The Additional Public Prosecutor,

Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,

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