



CrI.O.P.(MD)No.9381 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 27.06.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

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S.Karthikeyan

... Petitioner

versus

1. The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by the Inspector of Police,
Kadupatti Police Station,
Vadipatti Taluk,
Madurai District.

2. V.Saravanel

... Respondents

Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. seeking a direction to the respondent Police not to harass the petitioner based on the complaint lodged by V.Saravanel in respect of land in Survey Nos. 146/10, 175/1 and 175/2 of Uthukkuzhi, Ayanthenkarai, Solavandhan Sub Division, Vadipatti Taluk, Madurai District.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Muthuvel

For R1 : Mr.E.Antony Sahaya Prabahar
Additional Public Prosecutor



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ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondent Police not to harass the petitioner under the guise of enquiry.

2. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that based on the complaint given by the second respondent, the respondent Police is harassing the petitioner under the guise of enquiry.

3. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent Police submits that on the complaint given by the second respondent on 15.06.2024, petition enquiry is pending in CSR No.147 of 2024.

4. The complaint of the second respondent dated 15.06.2024, *prima facie*, appears to be civil in nature. In the event, if a criminal case is made out against the petitioner during the enquiry, the



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respondent police shall register the First Information Report and proceed further. The respondent Police shall not harass the petitioner under the guise of enquiry.

5. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

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

To

1. The Inspector of Police,
Kadupatti Police Station,
Vadipatti Taluk,
Madurai District.
2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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