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W.P.No.15078 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 28.04.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE **G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN**

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1.Basil Martin
2.Mark Fonsica Mawdsley

... Petitioners

Vs.

1.Superintendent of Police,
Office of the Superintendent of Police,
Udhagamandalam,
The Nilgiris District
2.Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Office of the Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Coonoor,
The Nilgiris District
3.The Inspector of Police,
Coonoor Town Police Station,
Coonoor,
The Nilgiris District
4.L.Sivakumar
5.The Branch Manager,
Repco Home Finance Limited,
Coonoor Branch

... Respondents

PRAYER:

Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India
praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents 1 to 3 to



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initiate appropriate criminal action under the relevant provisions of law on the basis of petitioners' complaint dated 01.04.2025 lodged before the respondents 1 to 3 against the 4th & 5th respondents within the time frame fixed by this Court.

For Petitioners : Mr.M.Vinoth

For Respondents

For R1 to 3 : Mr.A.Gopinath,
Government Advocate(crl.side)

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed seeking direction to respondents 1 to 3 to initiate appropriate criminal action under the relevant provisions of law on the basis of the petitioners' complaint dated 01.04.2025 lodged before respondents 1 to 3 against the 4th & 5th respondents within the time frame fixed by this Court.

2. Without expressing any opinion on merits of the writ petition, the third respondent is directed to conduct enquiry on the complaint dated 01.04.2025 lodged by the petitioners and, after issuance of notice to the petitioners and the fourth respondent and giving them opportunity of personal hearing, to pass orders on merits and in



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accordance with law, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

3. With the above direction, this writ petition is disposed of.

There shall be no order as to costs.

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4. The Branch Manager,
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Coonoor Branch
5. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras

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