



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 20-02-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA

CRL OP No. 4265 of 2026

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..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Commissioner of Police
Commissioner office,
Tiruppur District.
2. The Inspector of Police
Police Station,
Tiruppur District.

..Respondent(s)

Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, to direct the second respondent not to harass the
petitioner under the guise of enquiry for a civil dispute over a property.

For Petitioner(s): Mr. I. Periaswamy

For Respondent(s): Mr.S.Santhosh
Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

ORDER

The present Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction
to the respondent police not to harass the petitioner.



2. The case of the petitioner is that under the pretext of conducting an enquiry in connection with the existing civil dispute, the respondents Police are unnecessarily harassing him.

3. Learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side), on instructions, submitted that based on the complaint given against the petitioner, the respondents Police are conducting an enquiry in C.S.R.No.35 2026 and that the petitioner was called only for enquiry and was not harassed during the enquiry.

4. Such being the position, it is for the Investigating Agency to issue appropriate notice to the petitioner under Section 35(3) of BNSS for enquiry and on receipt of such notice, the petitioner shall appear for enquiry and co-operate in the investigation. It is made clear that the petitioner shall not be harassed during the course of enquiry. If any cognizable offence is made out, the respondents Police shall register a First Information Report and proceed in accordance with law.

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

20-02-2026

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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To

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Tiruppur Police Station,
Tiruppur District.
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.



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