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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 22-04-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE M. NIRMAL KUMAR

CRL OP No. 10130 of 2026

A.M. Doraivelu

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Commissioner of police,
Vepery, Chennai 600 001.
2. The Deputy Commissioner of police
Adyar, Chennai 600 020.
3. Inspector of Police
Adyar J2 Police Station,
Chennai 600 020.

..Respondent(s)

To issue a direction to the respondent police, particularly the third respondent, not to harass the petitioner and his family members under the guise of enquiry in relation to a civil dispute, consequently direct the first and second respondents to ensure that no coercive or unlawful action is taken against the petitioner and thus render justice.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.Vidyesh.V

For Respondent(s): Mr.Leonard Arul Joseph Selvam,
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

The Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondent police, particularly the third respondent, not to harass the petitioner



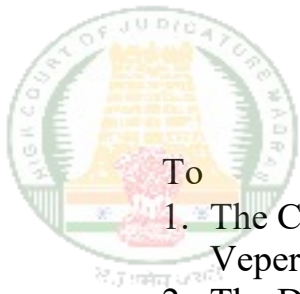
and his family members under the guise of enquiry in relation to a civil dispute, consequently direct the first and second respondents to ensure that no coercive or unlawful action is taken against the petitioner.

2. On a perusal of the records, it is seen that the petitioner is the brother-in-law of one Thirupuram. The said Thirupuram's husband passed away in the year 2025. Thereafter, Thirupuram intended to settle the property in favour of her daughter. However, the property belonging to her husband has been sold by the petitioner. Hence, she lodged a complaint. Upon enquiry, the same was closed. Subsequently, the said Thirupuram filed a petition under Section 156(3) Cr.P.C. against the petitioner, which is pending before the concerned Judicial Magistrate and the Police are yet to file their response.

3. In view of the above, this court is of the view that there is no harassment against the petitioner. The petitioner is directed to cooperate with the enquiry. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No
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