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CrI.O.P.No.30283 of 2022

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 07.01.2026

CORAM:

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

CrI.O.P.No.30283 of 2022
and
CrI.M.P.Nos.18554 & 18555 of 2022

1. R.Baskaran
2. B.Harikrishnan
3. A.Sampathkumar
4. M.Jagadeesan

(Petition in respect of petitioners 3 and 4 is
dismissed as withdrawn as per order
dated 08.12.2022 in CrI.O.P.No.30283 of 2022)

... Petitioners

Vs.

1. State represented by,
The Inspector of Police,
Shevapet Police Station,
Salem District.

(Crime No.73 of 2021)

2. Dhanapal

... Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita/Section 482 Cr.P.C., to call for the records in C.C.No.926 of 2022 on the file of the learned Judicial Magistrate No.III, Salem District and quash the same.



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For Petitioners : Mr.B.Kumarasamy
For R1 : Mr.K.M.D.Muhilan
Additional Public Prosecutor
For R2 : No Appearance

ORDER

The present Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking to quash the proceedings pending against the petitioners in C.C.No.926 of 2022 on the file of the learned Judicial Magistrate No.III, Salem District.

2. When the matter was taken up for hearing today, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that all the witnesses have been examined in this case and the case now stands posted for questioning the accused under Section 313 Cr.P.C. and that the petition filed by the accused seeking to recall the witnesses is also pending.

3. Taking note of the facts of the case and the submissions made by the learned Additional Public Prosecutor that the trial has already commenced and the witnesses have already been examined, this Court is not inclined to interfere with the trial proceedings at this stage.



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4. Accordingly, the Criminal Original Petition stands dismissed.

However, the petitioners are at liberty to raise all their grounds before the trial Court. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petitions are also closed.

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Neutral Citation: Yes/No

To

1. The Judicial Magistrate No.III,
Salem District.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Shevapet Police Station,
Salem District.
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.



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