



Crl.O.P(MD)No.4183 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 25.02.2026

CORAM

**THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE L.VICTORIA GOWRI**

Crl.O.P(MD)No.4183 of 2026

Maruthupandi

... Petitioner

**Vs.**

1.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,  
Thirumangalam,  
Madurai District.

2.The Inspector of Police,  
Thirumangalam Town Police Station,  
Madurai District.

... Respondents

**Prayer:** Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 of BNSS, 2023, to direct the respondents to take action on the petitioner's complaint dated 06.02.2026 in consonance with section 19A of the SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities Act) and to consequently register the FIR.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Poornachandran

For Respondents : Mr.M.Sakthi Kumar  
Government Advocate(Crl.Side)



Crl.O.P(MD)No.4183 of 2026

WEB COPY

**ORDER**

Seeking to direct the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent to take action on the petitioner's complaint dated 06.02.2026 in consonance with section 19A of the SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities Act), this criminal original petition is filed.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner had lodged a complaint as against the atrocity on caste basis which he had suffered at the hands of one Mohana Priya and her family. However, no action was taken as against them by the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent. police. Hence, this petition.

3. The learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) submitted that the petitioner has sent a complaint to the Superintendent of Police on 16.02.2026 and the same was forwarded to the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent on 24.02.2026.



**Crl.O.P(MD)No.4183 of 2026**

WEB COPY

4. Heard the learned counsel on either side and carefully perused the materials available on record.

5. In view of the submission made by the learned Government Advocate(Crl.Side), the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent is directed to promptly initiate appropriate action within a period of two (2) weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

6. With the above direction, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

**25.02.2026**

NCC : Yes / No  
Index : Yes / No  
Internet : Yes/ No  
gbg

To

1.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,  
Thirumangalam,  
Madurai District.



WEB COPY



Crl.O.P(MD)No.4183 of 2026

**L.VICTORIA GOWRI, J.**

gbg

- 2.The Inspector of Police,  
Thirumangalam Town Police Station,  
Madurai District.
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,  
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,  
Madurai.

**Crl.O.P(MD)No.4183 of 2026**

**25.02.2026**