

**IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT MUNSIF CUM JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE,
SHOLINGANALLUR**

Present:-Thiru. M.N. Rajanandhivarmasiva, B.E., M.L.,
District Munsif cum Judicial Magistrate,
Sholinganallur.

Friday, the 10th day of July, 2026

Crl.M.P.No.1288/2025

C.P. Karthik,
S/o. C. Perumal,
No.36/22, New Secretariat Colony Main Street,
Kilpak, Chennai – 10.

... Petitioner/ Complainant

-Vs-

The Inspector of Police
Kannagi Nagar Police Station,
Chennai – 97.

... Respondent/Respondent

This petition is filed by the petitioner u/s 175(3) of BNSS, and M/s. C.P. Karthik, party in person/petitioner. After considering the materials on record the application was taken u/s 175(3) of BNSS, and after considering the materials on record and after hearing the petitioner who appeared before this court passed the following.

ORDER

1. This Criminal Miscellaneous Petition has been filed under Section 156(3) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, and alternatively under Section 200 Cr.P.C., seeking a direction to the respondent police to register a First Information Report on the complaint preferred by the petitioner and to investigate the same in accordance with law.

2. The case of the petitioner is that he is employed in the State Transport Corporation and was transferred from one Depot to another Depot on 29.10.2024. According to the petitioner, after joining duty, he approached the Depot Manager for issuance of Diwali sweets and uniform. It is alleged that the Depot Manager refused the same and threatened him.

3. The petitioner further alleges that he immediately informed the police by dialing the emergency number and that police personnel reached the spot. According to him, while the police were present, one person attempted to assault him. Thereafter, it is alleged that one Shankar, stated to be working as a driver in the Depot, assaulted the petitioner on his head at the instigation of the Depot Manager, causing injuries. The petitioner claims to have taken treatment at the Government Hospital.

4. It is further stated that the petitioner lodged a written complaint before the respondent police on 29.10.2024. As no action was taken, he submitted representations to the higher police authorities by post. According to the petitioner, despite the complaint and representations, no FIR has been registered and the complaint has been closed without proper enquiry.

5. Heard the petitioner. Perused the complaint, copies of the representations and the documents produced. The allegations in the complaint, if taken at their face value, disclose allegations of physical assault, criminal intimidation and other acts which require investigation. Whether the allegations are ultimately true or false is a matter for investigation and cannot be decided at this preliminary stage.

6. The petitioner has also produced materials to show that he had first approached the jurisdictional police and thereafter the superior police authorities, but no effective action appears to have been taken. In the circumstances, this Court is satisfied that the complaint requires investigation by the jurisdictional police.

7. Accordingly, this Criminal Miscellaneous Petition is allowed. The respondent/Inspector of Police is directed to register a First Information Report, if the complaint discloses commission of a cognizable offence, and thereafter conduct investigation in accordance with law and file the appropriate final report before this Court within the time prescribed by law.

8. It is made clear that this Court has not expressed any opinion on the merits of the allegations, and the Investigating Officer shall conduct the investigation independently, uninfluenced by any observation contained in this order.

In the result this petition is allowed.

Dictated to the Steno-Typist, directly typed by her, corrected and pronounced by me in open court on 10th day of July 2026.

**Sd/- M.N. Rajanandhivarmasiva,
District Munsif cum
Judicial Magistrate,
Sholinganallur.**