

TAMBARAM CITY POLICE

Clarification regarding the News Report Aired on certain news channels on January 29, 2025.

In response to the news reports aired on certain new Channels with the title "Shocking video of men in a car chasing and harassing women in another car in ECR," the following clarification is issued:

On January 26, 2025, a woman complainant Chinni Thilang, residing in Kanathur, Chennai, filed a complaint at the Kanathur Police Station, stating that on January 25, 2025, at approximately 2:00 AM, while she was traveling by her car (TN-13-S-5466) near Muttukadu Bridge, two vehicles (TN-75-E- 6004 and TN-09-BR-9988) with about 7-8 occupants suddenly intercepted her.

According to the complaint, the individuals in these vehicles subsequently followed her car till her residence and confronted her, alleging that she had hit their vehicle and fled without stopping. Upon reaching her residence, the occupants of the pursuing vehicles engaged in an argument with the complainant regarding the alleged accident. However, the complainant Chinni Thilang has denied any involvement in such an accident.

Based on the complaint, a CSR No. 22/2025 was registered on January 26, 2025 at Kanathur PS. On further enquiry, the CSR has been converted into an FIR in Kanathur PS CR no.16/2025u/s 126(2), 296(b), 324(2), 351(2) BNS r/w 4 of Women harassment act and stringent legal action is being taken against those involved in the incident.

The police is doing an in-depth investigation. Special teams have been formed to find out the vehicle involved in the incident and also to nab the accused.

CCTV footages on the ECR road are being collected and reviewed to determine the exact sequence of events.

This clarification is being issued to ensure that the facts of the case are accurately presented and that the necessary legal steps are being against the culprits.

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