

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE AT KARAIKAL

Present: A. VIKRANTH RAJA, I.A.S.
DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, KARAIKAL

ORDER UNDER SECTION 144 Cr. P. C.

M. C. No. 05/2019

Whereas, in view of the visit of the Hon'ble President of India to Karaikal on 24.12.2019, various security arrangements are being taken by the district administration.

And Whereas, as a measure to beef-up security there shall be restriction on the aerial photography or videography in any form such as by use of drone cameras, flying balloons etc. Hence there is sufficient ground for proceeding under section 144 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1973 to prevent aerial photography or videography in any form such as by use of drone cameras, flying balloons etc.

Therefore I, A. VIKRANTH RAJA, I.A.S, District Magistrate, Karaikal in exercise of the power conferred upon me under section 144 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1973, do hereby prohibit aerial photography or videography in any form such as by use of drone cameras, flying balloons or by any other aviated devices in Karaikal District on 24.12.2019 on account of the visit of the Hon'ble President of India to Karaikal.

The emergent nature of the case and circumstances do not permit serving notice to the concerned in due time and hence this order is passed *exparte* under section 144 (2) of Criminal Procedure Code, 1973.

At Karaikal, dated 18th day of December 2019.



A. Vikranth Raja
(A. VIKRANTH RAJA, I.A.S)
DISTRICT MAGISTRATE