

## **PRESS NOTE**

The Complainant Tr.Dhasaradhan, S/o Chinnapaiyan @ James, No.67, Bajanai Kovil Street, Arumbakkam, Nagavedu Post, Arakkonam Taluk, Ranipet District requested Tr.Sathish, Village Administrative Officer, Sellamandhai Village, Arakkonam Taluk, Ranipet District - Group-C Officer to process the online petition received from the Sub-Registry Office, Nemili, Ranipet District for sub-division and patta of his brother Tr. Sagayam S/o Chinnapaiyan @ James. The above VAO on 18.08.2023 after field verification, demanded Rs.5,000/- for processing the online application of his brother. On 22.08.2023, he reduced his demand to Rs.4,000/. (As Tr. Sagayam is sick his brother Tr. Dhasaradhan is giving the complaint. Tr. Sagayam has given his land on lease to the complainant and an unregistered lease document is also produced by the complainant). Today 29-08-2023 trap was organized by the Ranipet detachment. The VAO Sathish Sellamanthai Village, Nemili Taluk, Ranipet district, received the bribe money of Rs.4000/- and handed it over to Village Assistant Rajalingam, who also knew it was bribe money. Hence both the accused were arrested.