



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED: 21.08.2015
CORAM:
THE HONOURABLE MS.JUSTICE K.KALYANASUNDARAM

Crl.O.P. (MD) No.16217 of 2015

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V.Ganesan

... Petitioner

Vs.

The Inspector of Police,
Thiruthangal Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.

... Respondent

PRAYER: This Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C., to direct the respondent to register a case based on the complaint given by the petitioner herein dated 22.07.2015 and investigate the same in accordance with law.

For Petitioner : M/s.K.J.Associates
Mr.M.Jegadeesh Pandian

For Respondent : Mrs.S.Prabha
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

O R D E R

This petition has been filed for a direction to the respondent to register a case based on the complaint given by the petitioner herein dated 22.07.2015 and investigate the same in accordance with law.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl.side).

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner sent a complaint to the respondent on 22.07.2015 to take appropriate action against the proposed accused, who cheated the petitioner. Even after receiving the above said complaint, no action has been taken on the complaint. Hence, the present petition has been filed.

4. The learned Government Advocate(Crl.side) on instruction would submit that petition enquiry is pending.

5. As per the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *Lalita Kumari vs. Govt. of U.P. & others [2013 (4) Crimes 243 (SC)]*, the respondent may conduct a preliminary enquiry, which shall not extend beyond a period of seven days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. In conducting the preliminary enquiry, they shall put the concerned parties upon notice. At the end thereof, if any cognizable offence is made out, they shall duly register a case. In the event of effecting closure of the case upon conducting a petition enquiry, a copy of the closure report shall be forwarded to the complainant.



6. The Criminal Original Petition is disposed of with the above direction.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1. The Inspector of Police,
Thiruthangal Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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