

**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT****DATED: 16.08.2016****CORAM:****THE HONOURABLE DR. JUSTICE S.VIMALA****Crl.O.P. (MD) .No.14697 of 2016**

R.Ponnammal

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Thanjavur District, Thanjavur.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Taluk Police Station,
Pattukottai,
Thanjavur District.

.. Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. praying to direct the 2nd respondent Police to register a case based on the complaint given by the petitioner dated 08.07.2016 and to conduct fair and impartial investigation in accordance with law within a stipulated period.

For Petitioner

: Mr.N.Madhava Govindan

For respondents

: Mr.K.V.Rajarajan,
Government Advocate
(Criminal side)**ORDER**

It is an application seeking a direction to the second respondent to register a case based on the complaint of the petitioner dated 08.07.2016.

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

3.According to the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side), petition enquiry is pending before the second respondent.

4.Nothing has been indicated to show that the nature of the complaint requires immediate registration of the case.

5.In view of the above, the second respondent is directed to expedite the enquiry and complete the same within a period of two



weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. During the course of enquiry, if any cognizable offence is made out, the second respondent police shall take action in accordance with the law laid down by the Hon'ble Apex Court in **Lalitha Kumari vs. Govt. of U.P & others [2013 (4) Crimes 243 (SC)]**. In case of closure of the complaint, a copy of the closure report be furnished to the petitioner within a week of such closure. On receipt of the same, it is open to the petitioner to work out her remedy in the manner known to law.

6. With the above direction, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (P&A)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Thanjavur District, Thanjavur.

2. The Inspector of Police,
Taluk Police Station,
Pattukottai,
Thanjavur District.

3. The Addl. Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

+1 CC to Mr. N. MADHAVAGOVINDAN, Advocate, SR No. 44537

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