

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 22.09.2017

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

Crl.O.P.No.20436 of 2017

K.Karuppannan @ Ponnusamy

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Pallipalayam Police Station,
Pallipalayam,
Namakkal District.

.. Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. praying to direct the first respondent to conduct proper investigation in Crime No.1264/2010 on his file and file final report.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Dhanasekar

For Respondents : Mr.P.Govindarajan
Additional Public Prosecutor.**ORDER**

This petition is filed seeking a direction to the first respondent to investigate the case in Crime No.1264 of 2010 on the file of the first respondent and to file a final report.

2.By consent of both sides, this Criminal Original Petition is taken up for final disposal.

3. Whenever any information in relation to commission of cognizable or non cognizable offence is received, the police officer shall adhere to the procedure contemplated under Sections 154 & 155 of the Criminal Procedure Code and after conducting necessary enquiry/investigation, file charge sheet under Section 173 of Cr.P.C. Such investigation under Chapter XII of the Criminal Procedure Code shall be completed without any unnecessary delay. The delay in filing the charge sheet in the present case is inordinate and unjustified. Hence, it would be appropriate to direct the Investigating Officer to file a charge sheet within a stipulated time, if not already filed.

4. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court directs the respondent police to complete the investigation in Crime No.1264 of 2010, pending on his file and file a charge sheet within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, if not already. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

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To

1.The Inspector of Police,
Pallipalayam Police Station,
Pallipalayam,
Namakkal District.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.



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