

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 03.11.2017

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

Crl.O.P.No.23552 of 2017

C.Rajaram

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The State by
The Inspector of Police,
T5, Thiruverkadu Police Station,
Thiruverkadu,
Thiruvallur District.
2. P.Nelson
3. N.Yesudoss
4. N.Anthony
5. N.Raja

... Respondents

Prayer:Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. to direct the first respondent police to conduct enquiry in connection with FIR No.141 of 2002 and to file final report to the concern court within the stipulated time as fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Panneerselvam

For Respondents

For R1 : Mr.C.Iyyapparaj
Additional Public Prosecutor.

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the first respondent to complete the investigation and to file the final report in Crime No.141 of 2002 pending on the file of the first respondent police.

2.By consent of both sides, this Criminal Original Petition is taken up for 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 final report 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 a final report in the present case is inordinate and unjustified. Hence, it would be appropriate to direct the Investigating Officer to file a final report within a stipulated time, if not already filed.

4.Considering the facts and circumstance of the case, this Court directs the respondent police to complete the investigation in Crime No.141 of 2002 pending on his file and file a final within a period of four weeks from the date of the receipt of a copy of this Order. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

s/d-
Assistant Registrar(CS-III)

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

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To

- 1.The Inspector of Police,
T5, Thiruverkadu Police Station,
Thiruverkadu, Thiruvallur District.
- 2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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