

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 09.11.2017

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

Cr1.O.P.No.24013 of 2017

K.Mani

... Petitioner

Vs

State Rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Chetpet Police Station
Chetpet Taluk,
Thiruvannamalai District.

... Respondent

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. to issue suitable directions to the respondent police to file a final report in Cr.No.113/2015 on the file of the respondent police within a reasonable time fixed by this court.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Elumalai

For Respondent : Mr.C.Iyyapparaj
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondent to complete the investigation and to file the final report in Crime No.113 of 2015 dated 27.03.2015 pending on the file of the 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.113 of 2015 pending on his file and file a final report within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. This Criminal Original Petition is ordered accordingly.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS V)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
Chetpet Police Station
Chetpet Taluk,
Thiruvannamalai District
2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+1cc to Mr.N.Elumalai, Advocate, S.R.No.79244

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