

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 29.11.2017

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

Cr1.O.P.No.25910 of 2017

M.Unnikrishnan

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State, Rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Sankar Nagar Police Station,
Pammal, Chennai 600 075.
(Crime No.1276 of 2016)

Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. praying to direct the respondent police to file a final report in Crime No.1276 of 2016 for the offence under Sections 406 and 420 of IPC within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.K.Shivakumar

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 a final report in Crime No.1276 of 2016 for the offence under Sections 406 and 420 of IPC.

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.1276 of 2016 pending on his file and file a final report within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
Sankar Nagar Police Station,
Pammal, Chennai 600 075.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+1cc to Mr.K.Shiva Kumar, Advocate SR.No.84697

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