

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 20.12.2017

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

Cr1.O.P.No.28595 of 2017

Govindan

... Petitioner

Vs

The Inspector of Police,
Virudhachalam Police Station,
Virudhachalam Taluk,
Cuddalore District.

... Respondent

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. directing the respondent to file the final report in FIR No.560 of 2017 dated 27.07.2017 within stipulated time and take action against the respondents 2 to 5 on the file of the 1st respondent and grant such order relief as deems fit to this Hon'ble Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Kadhiresan

For Respondent : Mr.C.Iyyapparaj
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction respondent police to file a final report in Crime No.560 of 2017 on the file of the respondent police

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing on behalf of the respondent.

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.

4.Considering the facts and circumstance of the case, this Court directs the respondent police to complete the investigation in Crime No.560 of 2017 pending on his file and file a final report as expeditiously as possible from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CCC)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
Virudhachalam Police Station,
Virudhachalam Taluk,
Cuddalore District.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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