

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 27.03.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

Crl.O.P.No.9606 of 2018

Abhaya Jayaraman

... Petitioner

Vs

State represented by Inspector of Police
Central Crime Branch II
Commissioner Office,
Chennai.

... Respondent

Prayer:Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. to direct the respondent to investigate and file the final report in Crime No.04 of 2017 dated 04.02.2017.

For Petitioner : Mr.L.Infant Dinesh

For Respondent : Mr.C.Raghavan (Criminal Side)
Government Advocate

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 Crl.O.P.No.04 of 2017 dated 04.02.2017, 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.04 of 2017 dated 04.02.2017, pending on his file and file a final report within 6 weeks from the date of copy of receipt of this Order. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-
Deputy Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police
Central Crime Branch II
Commissioner Office,
Chennai.

2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+1cc to Mr.L.Infant Dinesh, Advocate SR.No.23109

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