

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 19.01.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

Crl.O.P.No.1425 of 2018

S.Surendran

... Petitioner

Vs

State by Inspector of Police (Crime),
F-5, Choolaimedu Police Station,
Chennai - 600 094.
(Crime No.1361 of 2017)

... Respondent

Prayer:Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. to direct the respondent herein to file a final report in Crime No.***1381** of 2017 pending on the file of the respondent police before the concerned Magistrate Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Desingh

For Respondent : Mrs.P.Kritika Kamal,
Government Advocate (Crl. side)

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.***1381** of 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.*1381 of 2017 pending on his file and file a final report as expeditiously as possible. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-
Deputy Registrar
30.01.2018

**Amended as per order of this
court dated 16.03.2018 in //True Copy//
CRL.M.P.4190 of 2018 in
CRL.O.P.No.1425 OF 2018
sd/-
Assistant Registrar(cs XI)
09.04.2018**

Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police (Crime),
F-5, Choolaimedu Police Station,
Chennai - 600 094.
 2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.
- +1cc to Mr.K.Desingh, Advocate,
S.R.No.20216

**Fresh order
To be substituted to the
order already despatched
On 28.02.2018**

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