

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 08.02.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

Cr1.OP No.3707 of 2018

K.Perumal

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Deputy Superintendent of Police
District Crime Branch
Kancheepuram District,
Kancheepuram.

2. The Superintendent of Police
Kancheepuram District,
Kancheepuram.

... Respondents

Prayer:- Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C., to direct the first respondent to investigate the case in Crime No. 1 of 2012 on the file a final report before the appropriate Court in accordance with law within a time stipulated by this Hon'ble Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Velmurugan

For Respondents : Mr.C.Raghavan
Government Advocate (Cr1. Side)

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the first respondent to investigate the case in Crime No. 1 of 2012 on the file a final report before the appropriate Court in accordance with law within a time stipulated by this Hon'ble Court.

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.1 of 2012 pending on his file and file a final report within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1. The Deputy Superintendent of Police
District Crime Branch
Kancheepuram District,
Kancheepuram.
2. The Superintendent of Police
Kancheepuram District,
Kancheepuram.
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras

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