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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 10.01.2018

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.RAJAMANICKAM

Crl.O.P.(MD)No.13665 of 2017

Govindaraj

... Petitioner

vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.

2.The Inspector of Police,
South Police Station,
Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.

... Respondents

Prayer:- Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the respondent No.2 to register the case based on petitioner's complaint dated 20.08.2017.

For Petitioner : Mr.B.Anandan
For Respondents : Mr.A.P.G.Ohm Chairma Prabhu
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed to direct the second respondent to register a case based on the petitioner's complaint dated 20.08.2017.

2.The learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that even though a complaint has been lodged on 20.08.2017, the second respondent has not taken any steps to register a case.

3.The learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) has submitted that after receipt of the complaint summons were sent to the petitioner, but he did not appear and hence, the second respondent is not in a position to dispose of the said complaint.

4.The learned counsel for the petitioner by way of reply, has submitted that the petitioner is working in army and hence, he did not appear when he was called by the second respondent. However, he undertakes to instruct the petitioner to appear before the second respondent on 23.01.2018.



5. Recording the aforesaid submission, the petitioner is directed to appear before the second respondent on 23.01.2018 and on such appearance the second respondent has to enquire the matter and if the enquiry reveals any cognizable offence then he has to register a case and proceed further in accordance with law. If the petitioner not appeared on 23.01.2018, it is open to the second respondent to drop further proceedings.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the criminal original petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (P&A)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.

2. The Inspector of Police,
South Police Station,
Thoothukudi District,
Thoothukudi.

3. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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