



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT
DATED: 13.06.2018

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE D. KRISHNAKUMAR

Crl.O.P. (MD) No.9537 of 2018

C.Rethinaswamy

... Petitioner

vs.

State of Tamil Nadu
rep.by the Sub Inspector of Police
Eraniel Police Station
Crime No.39 of 2006

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal original petition filed, under Section 482 Cr.P.C., to direct the learned Principal District Munsiff-cum-Judicial Magistrate, Eraniel, to dispose the case in S.T.C.No.1538 of 2006, expeditiously.

For Petitioner : Mr.J.John Jayakumar

For Respondent : Mr.K.K.Ramakrishnan
Additional Public Prosecutor

O R D E R

The petitioner has filed this criminal original petition, under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, seeking for a direction to the learned Principal District Munsiff-cum-Judicial Magistrate, Eraniel, to dispose of the case in S.T.C.No.1538 of 2006, expeditiously.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the case in S.T.C.No.1538 of 2006, on the file of the learned Principal District Munsiff-cum-Judicial Magistrate, Eraniel, is pending disposal for more than twelve years.

3. Heard the learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent and perused the materials placed on record.

4. In view of the fact that the case in S.T.C.No.1538 of 2006 is pending disposal for the past twelve years and there is a categorical direction from the Honourable Supreme Court as well as this Court to dispose of the old cases expeditiously by giving preference, the learned Principal District Munsiff-cum-Judicial Magistrate, Eraniel, is directed to dispose of the case in S.T.C.No.1538 of 2006, as expeditiously as possible preferably



within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. The criminal original petition is disposed of with the above directions.

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Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

1. The Principal District Munsiff
-cum-Judicial Magistrate, Eraniel.

2. The Sub Inspector of Police,
Eraniel Police Station.

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

+1cc to Mr. J. Jhon Jayakumar, Advocate, SR.No.68191.

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