

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 14.02.2019

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

Cr1.O.P.No.3907 of 2019

G.Hari ... Petitioner/Defacto Complainant

Vs

1.The State rep.by The Inspector of Police,
TR Pattinam Police Station,
Karaikal.
(Crime No.74 of 2017) ... Respondent

2.Krishnadevarayan ... Accused

Prayer:Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482
Cr.P.C. to direct the respondent police to file a final report
in Crime No.74 of 2017 on the file of the respondent police
station.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Ambikaa

For R1 : Mr.M.Mohamed Riyaz,
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking
a direction to the respondents police to file a final report in
Crime No.74 of 2017, on the file of the respondent police.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the
learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the first respondent.

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.74 of 2017 pending on his file and file a final report within a period of three months from the date of the receipt of a copy of this Order.

5. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

rpl/ssr

To

1.The Inspector of Police,
TR Pattinam Police Station,
Karaikal.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+2 cc's to M/s.K.Ambikaa, Advocate Sr.No.13145

+1 cc to The Public Prosecutor, Puducherry, Sr.No.13688

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