

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 07.08.2019

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P.N.PRAKASH

Cont.P.No.330 of 2019

Gopinath
S/o.Krishnamoorthy ... Petitioner

Vs.

Kaliraj
Inspector of Police
P-5, MKB Nagar Police Station
Chennai. ... Respondent

Contempt Petition filed under Section 11 of the
Contempt of Courts Act 1971, praying to punish the
respondent for having defied the order of this Hon'ble
Court dated 18.06.2018 in Crl.OP.No.15598 of 2018.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Jeevagiridharan
For Respondent : Mrs.Kritika Kamal P
Government Advocate

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In Crl.OP.No.15598 of 2018, this Court issued the
following directions on 18.06.2018:

*"It is seen that on the complaint
given by the petitioner, a case in Crime
No.444 of 2018 has been registered on
23.06.2018, and the investigation is in
progress. Hence, this Court directs the
respondent police to complete the
investigation within a period of six
months from the date of receipt of a copy
of this order and either file a charge*

sheet or closure report as the case may be, under due intimation to the de facto complainant".

2. Alleging that the respondent has not complied with the aforesaid directions, this contempt petition is filed.

3. Today, Mr. Miller, Inspector of Police, M.K.B. Nagar Police Station, Chennai, is present before this Court. He filed a counter affidavit dated 01.08.2019, wherein he has stated that the investigation in Crime No.444 of 2018 has been completed and the case has been closed as "mistake of fact" on 28.07.2019. A copy of the closure report has been furnished to the learned counsel for the petitioner across the bar.

4. In view of the above, this Contempt Petition is closed with liberty to the petitioner to work out his remedy in the manner known to law.

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ASSISTANT REGISTRAR (COMM.CASES)

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Dated at Madras this the day of 2019.

COURT OFFICER (O.S.)

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