

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
DATED :25.04.2019

CORAM
THE HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

Crl.O.P.No.10981 of 2019

S.C.Magesh Kumar

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State Rep by:
The Inspector of Police
Gudiyatham Police Station
Vellore District.

... Respondent

Prayer: Criminal Original Petitions are filed under Section 482 of Criminal Procedure Code, to file a final report in connection with Crime No.687 of 2016 on the file of the respondent dated 26.10.2016.

For Petitioners: Mr.S.Ramesh

For Respondent : Mr.C.Raghavan
Govt. Advocate (Crl.side)

O R D E R

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking to direct the respondent to file a final report in connection with Crime No.687 of 2016 on the file of the respondent dated 26.10.2016.

2.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) for the 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.687 of 2016 pending on their 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

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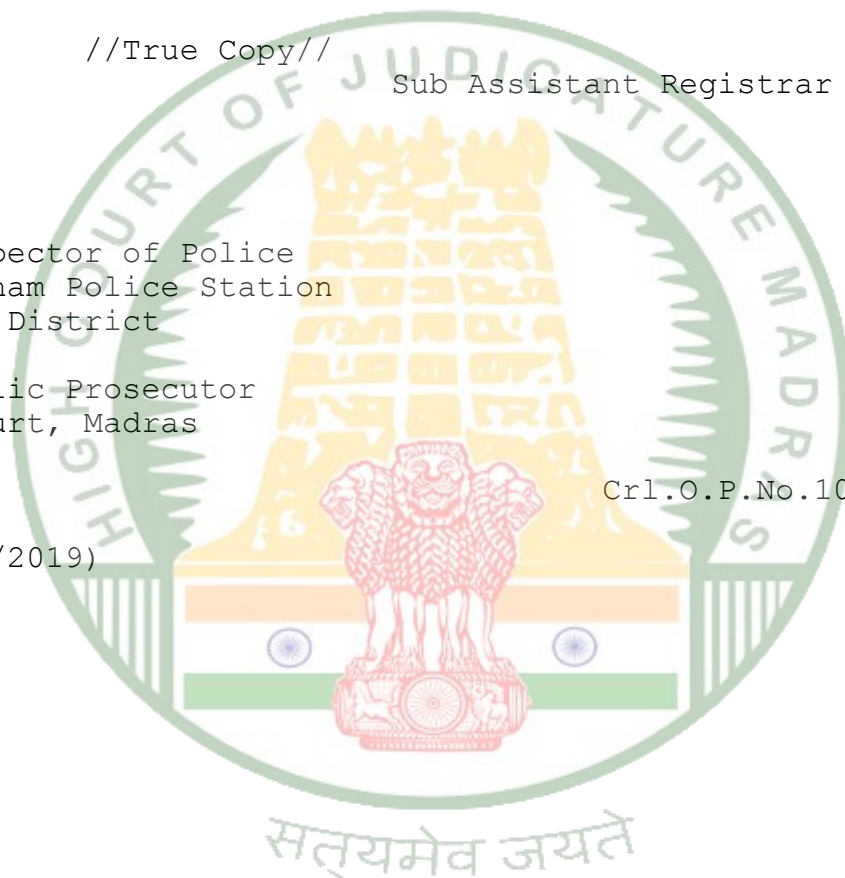
To.

1.The Inspector of Police
Gudiyatham Police Station
Vellore District

2.The Public Prosecutor
High Court, Madras

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