

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 15.11.2019

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

CrI.O.P.No.30847 of 2019

V.Senthilnathan

...Petitioner

Vs

State rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Central Crime Branch-I, Chennai.
(Crime No.121 of 2019)

...Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C., to direct the respondents police to complete the investigation in Crime No.121 of 2019, pending on the file of the Respondent police within the stipulated time to be fixed by this Court and file final report.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Gantha Ruban

For Respondent : Mr.C.Iyyapparaj
Additional Public Prosecutor

O R D E R

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking to direct the respondents police to complete the investigation in Crime No.121 of 2019, pending on the file of the Respondent police within the stipulated time to be fixed by this Court and file final report.

2. By consent of both sides, this Criminal Original Petition is taken up for disposal.

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.121 of 2019, pending on his file and file a final report, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. This Criminal Original Petition is ordered accordingly.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CCC)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
Central Crime Branch-I,
Chennai.

2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+1cc to Mr.K.Gantha Ruban, Advocate SR.96128

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