



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 05.12.2019

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE **A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA**

Crl.O.P.(MD)No.18217 of 2019

Vengatesan

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Inspector of Police
Thiruvidadaimaruthur Police Station
Thanjavur District

2. Alagar
3. Dharmalingam
4. Subbulakshmi
5. Ambika

... Respondents

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. to direct the 1st respondent to investigate the complaint of the petitioner in Crime No.100 of 2019 on the file of the 1st respondent in accordance with law and also to file the final report within a time from as fixed by this court.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.R.Balaji

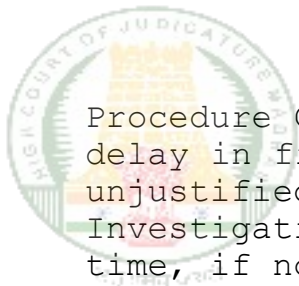
For Respondents : Mr.S.Chandrasekar
No.1 Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to direct the respondent to file final report in Crime No.100 of 2019 on the file of the respondent police station.

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

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4. Considering the facts and circumstance of the case, this Court directs the first respondent police to complete the investigation in Crime No.100 of 2019 , 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 (Writs)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

To

1. The Inspector of Police
Thiruvaidaimaruthur Police Station
Thanjavur District

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

+1 CC to M/s.N.R.BALAJI, Advocate (SR-103705[F] dated 05/12/2019)

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