

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 07.07.2020

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

Crl.O.P.No.10231 of 2020

S.Simon

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State rep.by:-

The Inspector of Police,
G-3, Kilpauk Traffic Investigation Wing,
Chennai.

(Crime No.07 of 2020

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the respondent to file a charge sheet in Crime No.07 of 2020 dated 18.01.2020 on the basis of the complaint given by the petitioner/de-facto complainant, as early as possible.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Sarath Kumar

For Respondent : Mr.S.Karthikeyan,
Additional Public Prosecutor.

O R D E R

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondent to file a charge sheet in Crime No.07 of 2020 dated 18.01.2020 on the basis of the complaint given by the petitioner/de-facto complainant, as early as possible.

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.

4. Considering the facts and circumstance of the case, this Court directs the respondent police to complete the investigation in Crime No.07 of 2020 pending on his file and file a final report within a period of eight weeks 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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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
G-3, Kilpauk Traffic Investigation Wing,
Chennai.
2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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