

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
DATED: 14.08.2020
CORAM:
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN
Crl.O.P.No.12237of 2020

S.Gunasundari, F/a, 52 yrs,
S/o. Shankar,
No.96/2, Mahaveer Street,
Mogapair Road, Sathiya nagar,
Padi, Chennai-50.

... Petitioner

Vs

State rep by,
The Inspector of Police,
Central Crime Branch-CCB-II,
Greater Chennai Police Commissioner Office,
Vepery, Chennai

... Respondent

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482
Cr.P.C. to direct the respondent police to file a final report
in Crime No.223 of 2018 on the file of the respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Kumaresan

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

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking
a direction to the respondent police to file a final report in
Crime No.223 of 2018 on the file of the respondent police.

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.223 of 2018 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 Asst. Registrar

vsn
To

- 1.The Inspector of Police,
Central Crime Branch-CCB-II,
Greater Chennai Police Commissioner Office,
Vepery, Chennai
- 2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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