

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 08.09.2020

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

Crl.O.P.No.13919 of 2020

G.Vijayakumar

S/o.Govindan

P.Quilam Village

Thandarampet Taluk

Tiruvannamalai District.

... Petitioner

Vs

1. State, Rep. By

The Inspector of Police

Thandarampattu Police Station

Thandarampet Taluk

Tiruvannamalai District.

2.The Sub Inspector of Police

Thanipadi Police Station

Thandarampet Taluk

Tiruvannamalai District.

... Respondents

Prayer:Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. to direct the 2nd respondent to take necessary action on the accused persons in Crime No.2167 of 2020 dated 10.07.2020 in accordance with law by filing a Final Report before the Court by fixing early date.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Ambigapathi

For Respondents: Mr.S.Karthikeyan

Additional Public Prosecutor.

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the second respondent to complete the investigation and to file the final report in Crime No.2167 of 2020 dated 10.07.2020 pending on the file of the second respondent police.

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

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 second respondent police to complete the investigation in Crime No.2167 of 2020 pending on his file and file a final report within a period of twelve 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(CS)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police
Thandarampattu Police Station
Thandarampet Taluk
Tiruvannamalai District.

2. The Sub Inspector of Police
Thanipadi Police Station
Thandarampet Taluk
Tiruvannamalai District.

3.The Public Prosecutor,

High Court, Madras.

+1cc to M/s.S.Ambigapathi , Advocate SR.No. 29310

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