



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 30.01.2020

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

Crl.O.P.(MD)No.1567 of 2020

P. Peter Krishnan ... Petitioner
Vs

1. The Superintendent of Police
O/o. The Superintendent of Police
Madurai District

2. The Inspector of Police
Samayanallur Police Station
Madurai District

3. Mariyappan
Village Administrative Officer
Paravai II Bit
Kulamanagalam, Madurai North Taluk
Madurai

... Respondents

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. to direct the respondents to file final report in Crime No.170 of 2019 on the file of the second respondent and proceed the same as per law within a stipulated time that may be fixed by this Honourable Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.C.M.Arumugam

For Respondents : Mrs.S.Bharathi
No.1 and 2 Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

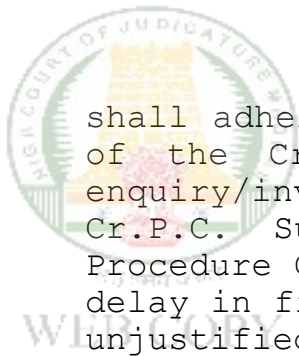
ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to direct the respondents to file final report in Crime No.170 of 2019 on the file of the second respondent and proceed the same as per law within a stipulated time that may be fixed by this Honourable Court.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Crl.Side) appearing for the respondent.

3. Whenever any information in relation to commission of cognizable or non-cognizable offence is received, the police officer

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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. 170 of 2019, pending on his file and file a final report within a period of two 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 (P&A)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

1. The Superintendent of Police
O/o. The Superintendent of Police
Madurai District
2. The Inspector of Police
Samayanallur Police Station
Madurai District
- 3.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

+1 CC to Mr.C.M.ARUMUGAM, Advocate (SR-4233[F] dated 31/01/2020)

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