

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED 02.02.2021

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THE HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

Crl.O.P.No.1497 of 2021

Jayamoorthy

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. State rep. by
The Superintendent of Police,
Puducherry.

2. State rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Muthialpet Police Station,
Puducherry - 605 012.

... Respondent

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Criminal Procedure Code, to direct the 2nd respondent to register a case based on the petitioner's complaint dated 26.12.2020.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Krishnamoorthy

For Respondents: Mr.V.Balamurugane
Additional Public Prosecutor
(Puducherry)

O R D E R

This petition has been filed to direct the 2nd respondent to register a case based on the petitioner's complaint dated 26.12.2020.

2.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor (Puducherry) appearing on behalf of the respondents.

3.This petition is not maintainable, in view of the Order passed by a Division Bench of this Court in G.Prabhakaran v. The Superintendent of Police, Thanjavur reported in (2018) 2 LW Crl 489. The Hon'ble Supreme Court in its latest judgment rendered by a three Judge Bench in M. Subramaniam v. S. Janaki

reported in (2020) 5 CTC 464, after relying upon Sakiri Vasu Case, has categorically held that the High Court cannot issue any direction for registration of FIR in exercise of its jurisdiction under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. The Hon'ble Supreme Court held that the informant has to necessarily avail of the alternative remedy provided under Section 154 (3) of Cr.P.C., and Section 156 (3) of Cr.P.C. Liberty is given to the petitioner to workout his remedy as per the directions issued by the Division Bench in the order referred supra.

This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

s/d-
Assistant Registrar

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Puducherry.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Muthialpet Police Station,
Puducherry - 605 012.
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+1 CC to Mr.D.Krishnamoorthy, Advocate sr 5303.

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