

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 05.01.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

CRL.O.P.No.20020 of 2020

Kavitha

...Petitioner

.Vs.

The Inspector of Police,
All Women Police Station,
Vellore,
Vellore District.

...Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the respondent to take appropriate action on the complaint of the petitioner dated 29.10.2020 in accordance with law within a time stipulated by this Hon'ble Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Dhanasekar

For Respondent : Mr.M.Mohamed Riyaz
(Crl.Side)
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed to direct the respondent to take appropriate action on the complaint of the petitioner dated 29.10.2020

2.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor 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 Cr1 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 her remedy as per the directions issued by the Division Bench in the order referred supra.

This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

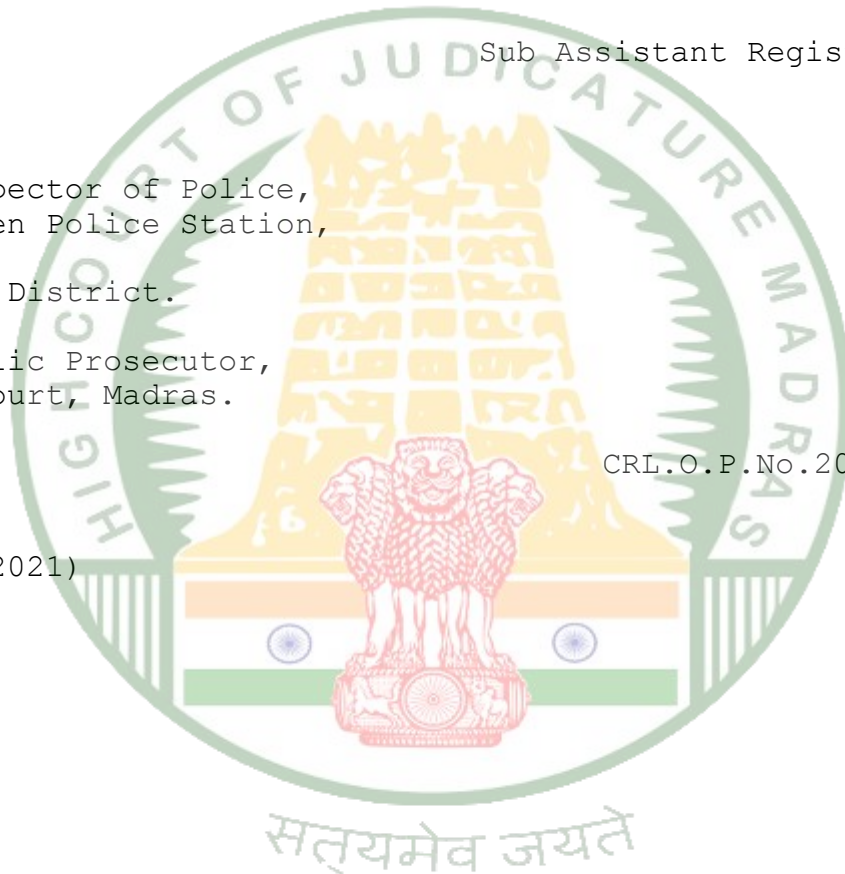
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To

1.The Inspector of Police,
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Vellore,
Vellore District.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

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