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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 16.11.2021

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.NIRMAL KUMAR

Crl.O.P.No.20669 of 2021

Saravanan

... Petitioner

Versus

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Namakkal District.
Namakkal.

2. The Inspector of Police,
District Crime Branch,
Namakkal District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to direct the second respondent to register the petitioner's complaint dated 05.10.2021 and investigate the same in accordance with the law.

For Petitioner :Mr. M. Subash

For Respondent :Mr. R. Vinothraja
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

This petition has been filed to direct the second respondent to register the petitioner's complaint dated 05.10.2021 and investigate the same in accordance with the law.

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

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.

4. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS-VIII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Namakkal District.
Namakkal.
2. The Inspector of Police,
District Crime Branch,
Namakkal District.
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.

+1cc to Mr.M.Subash, Advocate SR.No.58776

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