



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 29.10.2021

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE **Mr. JUSTICE G.ILANGOVAN**

Crl.O.P.(MD)No.16816 of 2021

Murugesan

... Petitioner

Vs.

State through Inspector of Police,
Alangulam Police Station,
Tirunelveli District,
(Crime No.382 of 2015)

... Respondent

Prayer : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, directing the respondent police to expedite the investigation in the case in Crime No.382 of 2015, on the file of the respondent police and to file a final report within a stipulated period.

For Petitioner

: Mr.P.Mani Anandh

For Respondent

: Mr.RMS.Sethuraman

Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking direction to the official respondent to investigate the case in Crime No.382 of 2015 and file Final report within the stipulated period.

2.The petitioner is the accused in Crime No.382 of 2015, which was registered for the offences punishable under Sections 468, 472, 420 IPC on 30.07.2015. Now the grievance of the petitioner is that, even after lapse of 6 years, investigation has not been completed and final report was not filed.

3.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor would submit that after completion of investigation, final report was made ready on 19.02.2019 and it has not been presented before the concerned Court.

4.Considering the oldness of crime, there shall be direction to the respondent police to file final report before the concerned Court, within fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. After filing the final report, compliance report must be submitted before this Court.



5.With the above direction this Criminal Original petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(AD-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

- 1.The Inspector of Police,
Alangulam Police Station,
Tirunelveli District,
- 2.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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The Section Officer,Criminal Section,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

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