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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 11.02.2022

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA

CRL.O.P.NO.3011 OF 2022

G.Muthuraman,
S/o.Ganesan

... Petitioner

Vs.

The State Represented by
The Inspector of Police,
J-3, Guindy Police Station,
Chennai - 600 032.

... Respondent

PRAYER:

Criminal Original petition is filed under Section 482 of Criminal Procedure Code, to direct the Respondent Police to complete the investigation and file final report against the accused persons in Crime No.343 of 2019 on the file of the Respondent Police, within the time limit.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Thangarasu

For Respondent : Mr.A.Gokulakrishnan
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to direct the respondent to complete the investigation and to file a final report in Crime No.343 of 2019 on the file of the respondent police station.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the respondent.

3. Whenever any information in relation to commission of cognizable or non-cognizable offence is received, the police officer 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 the Criminal Procedure Code. 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 circumstances of the case, this Court directs the respondent police to complete the investigation in Crime No.343 of 2019, pending on his file and file a final report within a period of three 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(CS IV)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,
J-3, Guindy Police Station,
Chennai - 600 032.
2. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.

+1cc to Mr.K.Thangarasu, Advocate, S.R.No.8852

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