



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
DATED : 18.02.2022

CORAM:

WEB COPY THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE A.D. JAGADISH CHANDIRA

Cr1.O.P.No.3623 of 2022

Azeez Arambathical

... Petitioner

Vs.

The Inspector of Police,
District Crime Branch,
Coimbatore District.

... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C., to direct the respondent to file a final report in Crime No.10 of 2020 on the file of the respondent of police.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Santhanaraman

For Respondent : Mr.V.Meganathan

Government Advocate (Criminal Side)

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed, to direct the respondent to file a final report in Crime No.10 of 2020 on the file of the respondent of police.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) 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 Cr.P.C. 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 circumstance of the case, this Court directs the respondent police to complete the investigation in Crime No.10 of 2020, 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.

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Assistant Registrar(CS VII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1.The Inspector of Police,
District Crime Branch,
Coimbatore District.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
Madras High Court.

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