



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 28.02.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA

CrI.O.P.No.4504 of 2022

Manigandan

... Petitioner

Vs.

State rep by:

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

2. The Inspector of Police,
Erumapatty Police Station,
Namakkal District.

...Respondents

PRAYER: The Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Code of Criminal Procedure, to issue a direction directing the 2nd respondent to register the complaint dated 12.01.2022 made by the petitioner to the respondents.

For Petitioner : Mr.V.Thillai Kumar

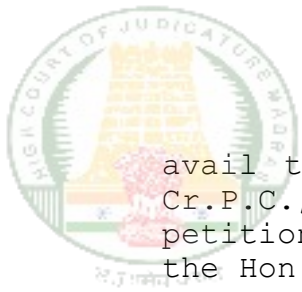
For Respondents : Mr.V.Meganathan
Government Advocate

O R D E R

The Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking for a direction to the 2nd respondent to register the complaint dated 12.01.2022 made by the petitioner to the respondents.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Additional Public Prosecutor and perused the materials available on record.

3. This petition is not maintainable, in view of the Order passed by a Hon'ble Division Bench of this Court in G.Prabhakaran v. The Superintendent of Police, Thanjavur, reported in (2018) 2 LW CrI 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's 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 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 Hon'ble Division Bench in the order referred supra.

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4. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS VII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Superintendent of Police,
Namakkal District,
Tamil Nadu.
2. The Inspector of Police,
Erumapatty Police Station,
Namakkal District.
3. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras.

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