



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 02.02.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

Crl.O.P(MD)No.1922 of 2022

S.Sridhar

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.Mathangi
2.Ashok
3.Rajangam
4.Gowsalya

... Respondents

Prayer: This Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C., to direct the learned Judicial Magistrate No.I, Madurai, to number the private complaint filed by the petitioner in Cr.M.P.No.unnumbered/2021 and dispose the same, within a stipulated time fixed by this Court, from the date of reopening of the trial Courts.

For Petitioner : Mr.J.Jeyakumaran
For Respondents : Mr.M.Sakthi Kumar
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

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Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner.

2.Considering the nature of relief to be granted, issuance of notice to the respondents is dispensed with.

3.The petitioner is said to have filed a private complaint before the learned Judicial Magistrate No.I, Madurai. His grievance is that it is not being numbered. I cannot direct the Jurisdictional Magistrate to take cognizance of the offences. But I can definitely direct that it should not be indefinitely be kept pending, either cognizance should be taken or the complaint should be returned. This exercise one way or the other shall be concluded within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



4.The Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(T & P)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To:

1. The Judicial Magistrate No.I, Madurai.
2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

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