



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 28.02.2022

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE **Mr.JUSTICE G.ILANGO VAN**

W.P. (MD)No.21440 of 2021

A.Valankanni

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Assistant Director,
Directorate of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption,
Madurai.

2. The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Vigilance and Anti-Corruption,
Dindigul Detachment.

3. The Inspector of Police,
Vigilance and Anti-Corruption,
Dindigul District.

... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to consider and dispose of the petitioner's complaint dated 01.10.2021 in the light of the dictum laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the case of Lalita Kumari Vs. Government of Uttar Pradesh & Ors, reported in (2014) 2 SCC 1 as expeditiously as possible within the time stipulation as prescribed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Anand

For Respondents : Mr.R.Meenakshi Sundaram

Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

This petition is filed seeking Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to consider and dispose of the petitioner's complaint dated 01.10.2021 in the light of the dictum laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the case of Lalita Kumari Vs. Government of Uttar Pradesh & Ors, reported in (2014) 2 SCC 1 as expeditiously as possible within the time stipulation.

2. When the matter is taken up for hearing today, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor would submit that the complaint given by the petitioner has been forwarded to the District Collector,



Dindigul District. Only based upon the communication from the concerned District Collector further action can be taken.

3. Hence, the petitioner may wait for reasonable time for the process to be completed. If even after waiting for reasonable time, if no action is taken by the respondents, he can work out his remedy through appropriate proceedings. It is seen that no time is prescribed for completing the enquiry and file a report before the respondents. So, as mentioned above, the petitioner can wait for reasonable time. Depending upon the above said report further action can be taken.

4. With the above liberty, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AE)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

NOTE: In view of the present lock down owing to COVID-19 pandemic, a web copy of the order may be utilized for official purposes, but, ensuring that the copy of the order that is presented is the correct copy, shall be the responsibility of the advocate/litigant concerned.

To

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4. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.

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