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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 18.10.2023

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THE HONOURABLE DR.JUSTICE G. JAYACHANDRAN

Crl.O.P.No.29688 of 2022

and

CrI.M.P.No.18195 of 2022

Baskar Narayanan

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The State of Tamil Nadu,
rep. by the Inspector of Police,
S-4, Nandmbakkam Police Station,
St. Thomas Mount,
Chennai.

2.Manoharan

... Respondents

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of the Criminal Procedure Code, calling for the records relating to the Crime No.33 of 2018 on the file of the first respondent police and quash the same.

For Petitioner : Mr.Kasi Visvanathan

For R1 : Mr.R.Muniyapparaj,
Additional Public Prosecutor

For R2 : Ms.K.Indupriya



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ORDER

The Criminal Original Petition has been filed to quash the FIR in Crime No.33 of 2018 , pending on the file of the 1st respondent.

2.When the matter was taken up for hearing, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that the investigation is completed and final report is likely to be filed soon. From the investigation, there are materials available to proceed with the prosecution. The reason stated to quash the First Information Report is not covered under the parameters of the Hon'ble Supreme Court judgment in *M/s.Neeharika Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd. vs. State of Maharashtra and others* reported in *AIR 2021 SCC 1918; AIR Online 2021 SC 192*.

3.In view of the above, the respondent police is directed to file the final report within a period of seventy five days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4.Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of. If aggrieved by the final report to be filed, liberty is given to the petitioner to



challenge the final report in the manner known to law. Consequently,
connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Speaking order / Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation : Yes / No
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To

- 1.The Inspector of Police,
S-4, Nandmbakkam Police Station,
St. Thomas Mount,
Chennai.
- 2.The Public Prosecutor,
Madras High Court,
Chennai.



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