



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.22517 of 2022

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: **14.02.2024**

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **M.DHANDAPANI**

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S.Annakodi

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Superintendent of Police,
Madurai District,
Madurai.

2.The Inspector of Police,
Periayur Police Station,
Madurai District.

3.The Sub-Inspector of Police,
Saptur Police Station,
Madurai District.
Crime No.176 of 2022.

4.Rajalakshmi

5.Devadoss

...Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, to direct the respondents 2 and 3 to expedite the investigation in Crime No.176 of 2022 dated 05.12.2022 within the stipulated time fixed by this Court.



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For petitioner	: Mr.A.N.Ramanathan
For R1 to R3	: Mr.S.Manikandan
	Government Advocate (Crl.side)

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed to direct the respondents 2 and 3 to expedite the investigation in Crime No.176 of 2022 dated 05.12.2022, within a stipulated time fixed by this Court.

2. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is the defacto complainant and has made a complaint before the third respondent Police and the same was registered in Crime No.176 of 2022 for the offence punishable under Sections 294(b), 381, 420, 468 and 506(i) IPC. However, the investigation has not been completed so far. Hence, this Criminal Original Petition has been filed.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner further submits that it would suffice if this Court directs the third respondent Police to complete the investigation in Crime No.176 of 2022 within a time stipulated by this Court.



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4. Considering the limited request made by the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, this Court directs the third respondent Police to complete the investigation in Crime No.176 of 2022 within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition is disposed of.

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



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