



Crl.O.P.No. 11583 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 21.04.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE **G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN**

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Hemavathi

.... Petitioner

Vs

1.The Commissioner of Police,
Greater Chennai Police,
Commissioner Office Building,
Vepery, Chennai District
2.The Inspector of Police,
Royapuram Police Station,
Chennai District
Cr.No.429 of 2024

.... Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to direct the second respondent to complete the investigation and lay final report in crime No.429 of 2024 within the stipulated time prescribed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.Vinoth Kumar

For Respondents : Mr.A.Gopinath,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction



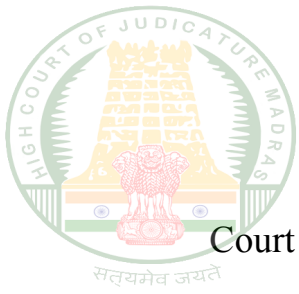
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to the second respondent to complete the investigation and lay final
report in crime No.429 of 2024 within the stipulated time prescribed by
this Court.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and
perused the materials placed on record.

3. Whenever any information in relation to commission of
cognizable or non cognizable offence is received, the police officer shall
adhere to the procedure contemplated under Sections 173 & 174 of the
Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 and after conducting
necessary enquiry/investigation, file final report under Section 193 of the
Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023. Such investigation under
Chapter XIII of the the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 shall
be completed without any unnecessary delay. The delay in filing a final
report in the present case is inordinate and unjustified. Hence, it would
be appropriate to direct the Investigating Officer to file a final report
within a stipulated time, if not already filed.

4. Considering the facts and circumstance of the case, this



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Court directs the second respondent police to complete the investigation in crime No.429 of 2024 pending on his file and file a final report within a period of twelve (12) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this Order.

5. This Criminal Original Petition is disposed of accordingly.

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Index : Yes/No
Neutral citation : Yes/No
Speaking/non-speaking order
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To

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Vepery, Chennai District
- 2.The Inspector of Police,
Royapuram Police Station,
Chennai District
- 3.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.



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