



Crl.O.P.No. 12791 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 24.04.2025

CORAM:

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

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Krishnaraj

.... Petitioner

Vs

State rep by

The Inspector of Police,

Munjur police Station,

Tiruvallur District

crime No.196 of 2022

.... Respondent

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, to issue direction to the respondent to complete the investigation and to file final report in crime No.196 of 2022 dated 22.04.2022 within the time frame fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Deivasigamani

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

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondent to complete the investigation and to file final report in crime No.196 of 2022 dated 22.04.2022 within the time frame fixed by this Court.



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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 Court directs the respondent police to complete the investigation in crime No.196 of 2022 pending on his file and file a final report within a period of eight (8) 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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To

1.The Inspector of Police,
Munjur police Station,
Tiruvallur District
2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras.



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