

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 04.03.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

CRL.O.P.NO.2422 OF 2021

- 1.Rengaraj @ Rengaraj
- 2.Babu
- 3.Thangavelu
- 4.Radha

....Petitioners/Accused 1 to 4

.Vs.

1. The State  
Rep.by the Inspector of Police,  
Arumbavoor Police Station,  
Perambalur District.

.... 1<sup>st</sup> Respondent/  
Complainant

(Crime No.346 of 2015)

2. Manmathan

... 2<sup>nd</sup> Respondent/  
Defacto Complainant

PRAYER:

Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to call for the records in connection with the FIR in Crime No.346 of 2015, on the file of the Inspector of Police, Arumbavoor Police Station, Perambalur District and quash the same.

For Petitioners : Mr.M.Vijaya Raghavan

For Respondents : Mr.C.Raghavan  
Government Advocate  
for R 1

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O R D E R

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking to quash the FIR in Crime No.346 of 2015, pending on the file of the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent.

2. The case is still at the stage of investigation. By passage of time, the parties have decided to bury their

hatchet and compromise the dispute amicably among themselves.

3. The Affidavit dated 27.01.2021, has been filed by the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent before this Court. The petitioners and the second respondent were also present before this Court and they were identified by Mr.Kathiresan, Sub Inspector, Arumbavoor Police Station, Perambalur District. In order to identify the respective parties they have also produced the copies of the Aadhaar Card and it is made part of the record. In the affidavit it has been stated that the petitioners and the second respondent have entered into a compromise and amicably settled their issues in Crime No.346 of 2015. This Court also enquired both the parties and was satisfied that the parties have come to an amicable settlement between themselves.

4. Under such circumstances, no useful purpose will be served in keeping the First Information Report pending, even though, the offences involved are not compoundable in nature. In the light of the guidelines given by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in (Parbathbhai Aahir @ Parbathbhai Vs. State of Gujrat) reported in (2017) 9 SCC 641, and after exercising due caution as advised by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in The State of Madhya Pradesh v. Dhruv Gurjar and Another reported in (2019) 2 MLJ CrL 10, this Court in exercise of its jurisdiction under Section 482 Cr.P.C. quashes the First Information Report in Crime No.346 of 2015, on the file of the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent Police.

5. This Criminal Original Petition stands allowed and as a sequel, investigation in Crime No.346 of 2015 on the file of the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent police, is quashed and the terms of affidavit shall form part and parcel of this order. The petitioners shall pay a sum of Rs.2000/- (Rupees two thousand only) as costs, to the credit of the President, Tamil Nadu Advocates Clerk Association, Madras High Court, Chennai (Indian Bank, High Court Branch, A/c No.484026006, IFSC Code:IDIB000M157), within a period of one week from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and file a photocopy of the receipt along with a memo reporting compliance in the Registry.

\*Xerox copy of Affidavit, dated 21.01.2021 enclosed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS VII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

1. The Inspector of Police,  
Arumbavoor Police Station,  
Perambalur District.
2. The Public Prosecutor,  
High Court, Madras.

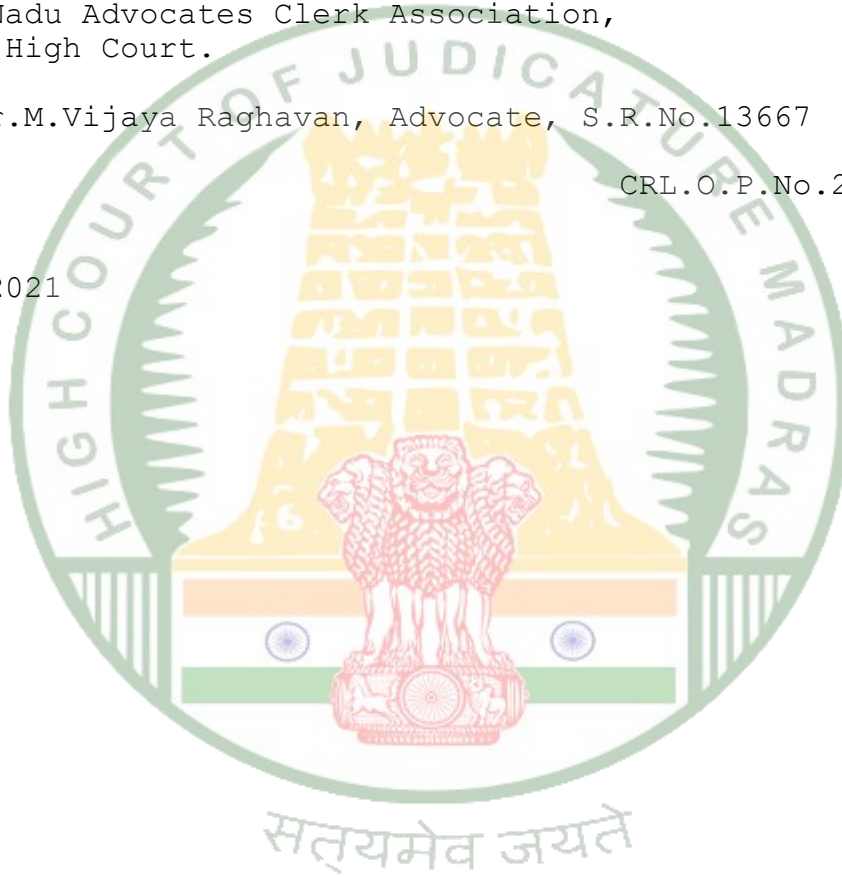
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The President,  
Tamil Nadu Advocates Clerk Association,  
Madras High Court.

+2cc to Mr.M.Vijaya Raghavan, Advocate, S.R.No.13667

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