



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 24.11.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

Crl.O.P (MD)No.18185 of 2021

Sahayam ... Petitioner / Sole Accused
Vs.

- 1.The State rep by
The Inspector of Police,
Paramakudi Town Police Station,
Ramanathapuram District.
(Crime No.745 of 2020) ... Respondent-1 / Complainant
- 2.Mariya Joseph ... Respondent-2 / Defacto
Complainant

Prayer: This Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C., to call for the records pending FIR against the petitioner for the offence under Sections 294(b), 448, 506(ii) of IPC and Section 4 of TN Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act, 2002 in Crime No.745 of 2020 dated 28.11.2020 on the file of the 1st respondent police and to quash the same.

For Petitioner : Mr.J.Vijayaraja
For Respondents : Mr.M.Sakthi Kumar,
Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side) for R1.
Mr.C.Muthupandi for R2.

O R D E R

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed for quashing the FIR in Crime No.745 of 2020 registered on the file of the first respondent.

2.The victim in this case is the wife of the defacto complainant. The defacto complainant/Mariya Joseph is present in person before this Court. He has been duly identified by Mr.P.Gopinathan, HC 1488 attached to first respondent police station. The defacto complainant and his wife decided to drop the matter, taking note of the past association with the petitioner herein. The parties have also filed a memo of joint compromise dated 20.10.2021. Since the parties have arrived at an amicable settlement, no purpose will be served in keeping the impugned



prosecution alive. The impugned FIR is quashed. The Criminal Original Petition is allowed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AS)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To:

1.The Inspector of Police,
Paramakudi Town Police Station,
Ramanathapuram District.

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

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