



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 8.3.2022

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE A.D.JAGADISH CHANDIRA

Cr1.O.P.No.22324 of 2021

S.Meganathan : Petitioner/Single Accused

Vs.

1.The State Rep. by the
Inspector of Police,
B-2, Tiruvallur Taluk Police Station
Tiruvallur District. ...Ist Respondent/Complainant
(Crime No.504 of 2021)

2.Praveen Kumar :2nd Respondent/Defacto Complainant

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. to call for the records and quash the proceedings in Crime No.504 of 2021 pending investigation on the file of the first respondent police.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Karthik

For R-1 : Mr.A.Gokulakrishnan

Additional Public Prosecutor

For R-2 : No appearance.

ORDER

The Criminal Original Petition has been filed to quash the proceedings in Crime No. 504 of 2021 on the file of the first respondent police, for the offences punishable under Section 380 IPC.

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.A Joint Memo of Compromise in USR No.2385 of 2022 dated 28.2.2022 has been filed before this Court, which has been signed by the petitioner and the second respondent. On perusal



of the joint memo of compromise, this Court is satisfied that the parties have come to an amicable settlement between themselves.

4.The offence punishable under Section 380 IPC is a compoundable one. Under such circumstances, no useful purpose will be served in keeping the proceedings pending and therefore, this Court, in exercise of its jurisdiction under Section 482 Cr.P.C., quashes the First Information Report in Crime No. 504 of 2021.

5.Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition stands allowed and as a sequel, the proceedings in Crime No. 504 of 2021 on the file of the first respondent police is quashed and the terms of joint compromise memo shall form part and parcel of this order.

(*)The Xerox Copy of the
Joint Memo of Compromise
dated 28/02/2022 enclosed

SD/-
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SUB ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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To

1.The Inspector of Police,
B-2, Tiruvallur Taluk Police Station
Tiruvallur District

2.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madras High Court,
Madras.

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