



Crl.O.P.(MD) No.14489 of 2022

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 12.08.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V.SIVAGNANAM

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1. J.Abdul Ajees,
2. A.Abdul Lathief,
3. K.Varusai Mohamed,
4. A.Abdul Ajees Fathima,

: Petitioners

Vs

- 1.State through
The Inspector of Police,
Narikudi Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.
(Crime No.62/2022)

2. Rahamamath Nisha,

: Respondents

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, praying to call for the records connected with the case FIR in Crime no.62 of 2022 pending on the file of first respondent police Station and quash the same as illegal.



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For Petitioners :M/s.Abdul Kabur A,
For R1 : Mr.A.Albert James,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)
For R2 : Mr.I.Sabeer Mohamed

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed to quash the FIR in Crime No.62 of 2022 pending on the file of first respondent police Station.

2.The case of the prosecution is that due to civil dispute, the petitioners abused the defacto complainant and her son with filthy language and also brutally attacked them. Hence the complaint.

3.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.

4.A Joint Memo of Compromise has been filed before this Court which have been signed by the petitioners and the second respondent and also by their respective counsel. The petitioners and the second respondent



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were also present in person before this Court and they were identified by Mr.V.Manikandan, SI of Police, Narikudi Police Station as well as by the learned Counsels appearing for the parties. This Court also enquired both the parties and was satisfied that the parties have come to an amicable settlement between themselves.

5.In the instant case, the dispute is of civil in nature and the parties had compromised. Where the parties have compromised the matter, the High Court has to power to quash the complaint for the offence under Sections 294(b), 323, 427 and 506(1) IPC and Section 4 of Tamil nadu Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act, 2002

6.The legal position expressed by the Hon'ble Apex Court in the case of *Gian Singh vs. State of Panjab and another* reported in (2012)10 SCC 303 and *Parbathbhai Aahir @ Parbathbhai Vs. State of Gujrath*) reported in (2017)9 SCC 641 were taken into consideration.

7.In the light of the guidelines issued in the above said Judgments of the Hon'ble Apex Court, no useful purpose will be served in keeping the



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proceedings in Crime No. 62 of 2022 pending before the first respondent police, even though, the offences involved are not compoundable in nature.

8. Accordingly, this Criminal Original Petition stands allowed and as a sequel, the proceedings in Crime No. 62 of 2022 on the file of the first respondent police, is quashed insofar as the petitioners alone and the terms of joint compromise memo shall form part and parcel of this order.

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Internet: Yes./No
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To
1. The Inspector of Police,
Narikudi Police Station,
Virudhunagar District.

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



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