



*CrI.O.P.(MD)No.6630 of 2023*

**BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT**

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DATED : 12.04.2023

CORAM :

**THE HONOURABLE Mr. JUSTICE G.ILANGO VAN**

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1.Francisca Soren Sja

2.Vincy @ Jose Beaulavincy

3.Arockiam

... Petitioners

Vs.

1.State through,  
The Inspector of Police,  
Tiruchendur Police Station,  
Thoothukudi District.

2.N.Sounther Lobo

... Respondents

**Prayer :** Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to call for the records pertaining to the case, registered in C.C.No.44 of 2020, on the file of the Judicial Magistrate, Court, Tiruchendur and quash the same.

For Petitioners : Mr.K.Vinayagan

For R1 : Mr.R.Suresh Kumar

For R2 : Government Advocate(Crl. Side)  
: Mr.P.Santhana Krishnan



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## **ORDER**

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This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking to quash the charge sheet in C.C.No.44 of 2020, on the file of the Judicial Magistrate, Court, Tiruchendur.

2.The contention of the petitioners is that based on the complaint lodged by the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent, the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent registered the First Information Report in Crime No.284 of 2019 for the offences punishable under Sections 406, 420 and 120(b) Indian Penal Code, 1860, against the petitioners.

3.The further contention of the petitioners is that they compromised the issue with the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent amicably. A joint memo of compromise was filed, which has been duly signed by the petitioners and the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent and also by their respective counsels.

4.The petitioners and the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent appeared before this Court along with their counsels and also produced their Aadhar cards. They were also identified by the learned Additional Public Prosecutor and the Investigation Officer. Both the parties were enquired by me and they accepted the terms of compromise. Hence, the Compromise Memo is recorded.



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5.Considering the totality of the circumstances, the nature of the allegations levelled against the petitioners and also in view of the joint compromise memo, dated 29.01.2023, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose will be served by keeping the matter pending and inclined to quash all further proceedings in C.C.No.44 of 2020, on the file of the Judicial Magistrate, Court, Tiruchendur, in respect of the petitioners.

6.In the result, the Criminal Original Petition stands allowed and the entire proceedings in C.C.No.44 of 2020, on the file of the Judicial Magistrate, Court, Tiruchendur, is hereby quashed in respect of the petitioners alone. The compromise memo is recorded and the terms of joint compromise memo shall form part of this order.

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