



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.7810 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED:26.04.2023

CORAM:

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

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B.Maruthupandi : Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs.

1.State rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Golden Rock Police Station,
Trichy City,
(Crime No.450 of 2022) : R1/Complainant

2.Akila : R2/De-facto Complainant

PRAYER: Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, to call for the entire records in relating to the impugned FIR in Crime No.450 of 2022 on the file of the Gold Rock Police Station, Trichy City, the 1st respondent herein and to quash the same and to pass such or other orders.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Vijayakumar

For R1 : Mr.B.Nambiselvan
Additional Public Prosecutor

For R2 : Mr.S.Poornachandran



ORDER

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This petition has been filed seeking to quash the FIR in Crime No.450 of 2022 on the file of the 1st respondent police.

2.The contention of the petitioner is that based on the complaint lodged by the 2nd respondent, the 1st respondent registered the First Information Report in Crime No.450 of 2022 for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 354-D, 354-(A)(1)(i) and 506(i) IPC and section 4 of the Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act, 2002 as against the petitioner.

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

4.The petitioner and the 2nd 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 petitioner and also in view of the joint compromise memo, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose will be served by keeping the matter pending and inclined to quash FIR in Crime No.450 of 2022 pending on the file of the 1st respondent police, in respect of the petitioner.

6.In the result, the Criminal Original Petition stands allowed and the FIR in Crime No.450 of 2022 pending on the file of the 1st respondent, is hereby quashed. The compromise memo is recorded and the terms of joint compromise memo shall form part of this order.

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To

- 1.The Inspector of Police,
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- 2.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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