



Crl.O.P.(MD)No.18624 of 2022

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 17.03.2023

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.ILANGO VAN

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Muthukumar

... Petitioner/Sole Accused

Vs.

1. The Inspector of Police,
Town Police Station,
Thirumangalam,
Madurai District.
(Crime No.284 of 2022)

... 1st Respondent/Complainant

2. Chitra

... 2nd Respondent/Defacto
Complainant

3. Mukesh @ Kambathu Arasan

... 3rd Respondent/Victim

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 482 of Criminal Procedure Code, to call for the entire records pertaining to the FIR in Crime No. 284 of 2022 on the file of Respondent police and Quash the same in so far as concern the petitioner / Accused No.1 & 2.

For petitioner : Mr. S.Prabhu

For R1 : Mr.S.Manikandan
Government Advocate (Crl. Side)



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For R2 to R5

:Mr. I.Sri Harisuriya

ORDER

This petition has been filed seeking to quash the impugned FIR in Crime No.284 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.284 of 2022 for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 435, 427, 506(ii) & 109 of IPC and Section 4 of TNPHW Act, 2002.

3.The further contention of the petitioner is that they 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 Government Advocate (Crl. side) and



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the Investigation Officer. Both the parties were enquired by me and they accepted the terms of compromise. Hence, the Compromise Memo is recorded.

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, dated 07.12.2022, 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 Crime No.284 of 2022 pending on the file of the 1st respondent police in respect of this petitioner.

6.In the result, the Criminal Original Petition stands allowed and the entire proceedings in Crime No.284 of 2022, pending on the file of the 1st respondent police is hereby quashed in respect of the petitioner. The compromise memo is recorded and the terms of joint compromise memo shall form part of this order.

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



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G.ILANGO VAN,J.

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