



Suo Motu TR.No.1935 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED: 03.09.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE **D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY**

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(C.C.No.800059 of 2013 of Judicial Magistrate Court No.I, Villupuram Taluk,
Villupuram)

The Station House Officer,
Villupuram West Police Station,
Villupuram.

... Petitioner

Vs.

Vinoth @ Vinothkumar

... Respondents

For Petitioner

: Mr.S.Vinoth Kumar

Government Advocate (crl.side)

ORDER

This Suo Motu Case is dealt with in an extraordinary manner by the Dedicated Bench, pursuant to Suo Motu.W.P.(Crl.) No.618 of 2025.

2. This case in crime no.294 of 2011 is registered for alleged offence under Section 4(1) (aaa) of the Tamil Nadu Prohibition Act. The allegation in this case is that the accused smuggled illicit arrack that is sold in Union Territory of Puducherry into the State of Tamil Nadu. It can be seen



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that though the quantity is more, there is no previous or subsequent case as against the accused. That apart, the accused has become mentally ill and is not present in his usual place of residence and have gone away somewhere else. The case is pending from the year 2011. In view thereof, any further continuance of the proceedings will impinge upon the accused's right to a speedy trial. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the matter pending.

3. Accordingly, the proceedings in C.C.No.800059 of 2013 on the file of Judicial Magistrate Court No.I, Villupuram Taluk, Villupuram is quashed and this Suo Motu Transfer Case is disposed of.

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Note to the Trial Court: This order is digitally signed and communicated electronically alone. The Trial Court shall take note of the order and accordingly classify the case pending before them as allowed / dismissed / disposed of, etc, and while doing so, consider any applications such as disposal of properties, etc., and pass appropriate orders, as may be necessary. Further, the Court below is directed to dispatch the copy of this order to all concerned.



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