



Suo Motu TR.No.2696 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED: 08.09.2025

CORAM:

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

Suo Motu TR.No.2696 of 2025
(C.C.No.183 of 2020 of Judicial Magistrate Court No.I, Kancheepuram Taluk,
Kancheepuram)

The Inspector of Police,
Sivakanchi Police station.

...Petitioner

Muthuraj

Vs.

... Respondent

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sugendran
Additional Public Prosecutor

ORDER

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

2.The case, Cr.No.298 of 2019 was registered for the alleged offence under Section 379 of the I.P.C. The incident occurred on 05.08.2019. The allegation against the accused is that he stolen a sum of Rs.300/- from the defacto-complainant's ice-cream shop and immediately the same was noticed by the defacto-complainant and upon shouting, the public apprehended him and a sum of Rs.300/- is also recovered. The matter has been pending since



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3.Considering the nature of allegation and the matter is pending from the year 2019, any further continuance of the case would impinge upon his right to a speedy trial. Due to the passage of time, a meaningful trial is unlikely, and no useful purpose would be served.

4.Accordingly, the case in C.C.No.183 of 2020 of Judicial Magistrate Court No.I, Kancheepuram Taluk, Kancheepuram, stands quashed. This Sua 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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