



Suo Motu TR.No.2900 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 09.10.2025

CORAM:

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

Suo Motu TR.No.2900 of 2025

(CC.200095/2007 of Judicial Magistrate, Omalur Taluk, Salem)

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 Cr.No.540 of 2006 dated 30.08.2006 was registered for the alleged offences under Sections 279 and 304(A) of the Indian Penal Code, 1860. The defaco complainant had already filed claim petition and compensation has been awarded however he wants to pursue the case further. It may be seen that the occurrence is of the year 2006 and for the past 16 years, summons has not been served. The case is pending at summons stage.

3.Considering the nature of allegation, the antecedents of the accused, the reason for absence from his usual place, and the submission that, despite best efforts, summons could not be served, it is evident that even if the accused is brought to face trial, it 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.



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4. Accordingly, the case in CC.200095/2007 on the file of the Judicial Magistrate, Omalur Taluk, Salem 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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