



Suo Motu TR.No.3264 of 2025

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 08.09.2025

CORAM:

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

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(C.C.No.33 of 2022 of Judicial Magistrate Court, Palladam, Palladam Taluk,
Tiruppur)

The Inspector of Police,
Avinashipalayam Police Station.

... Petitioner

Vs.

Durai

.... 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.This case is registered in Cr.No.1233 of 2020 dated 20.08.2020, for
the alleged offences under Sections 457 and 380 of I.P.C. The allegation
against the accused is that he committed theft of machine tools from the
defacto-complainant's company. The property has been recovered and handed



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over to the defacto-complainant. The matter has been pending since 2020.

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3..Considering the factual matrix, context of the case, 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.

4.Accordingly, the case in C.C.No.33 of 2022 of Judicial Magistrate Court, Palladam, Palladam Taluk, Tiruppur, 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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