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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 10.09.2025

CORAM:

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

Suo Motu TR.No.3460 of 2025

(C.C.No.706 of 2021 of District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate Court,
Vazhapadi Taluk, Salem)

The Sub Inspector of Police,
Karipatty Police Station.

... Petitioner

Vs.

Palanisamy

.... Respondent

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sugendran
Additional Public Prosecutor

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 is registered in Cr.No.182 of 2016 for the alleged offences under Sections 279 and 337 of I.P.C. The accident was occurred on 12.05.2016. The defacto-complainant is present. He submits that compensation has been received. The matter has been pending since 2016.



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D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY, J.

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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.706 of 2021 of District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate Court, Vazhapadi Taluk, Salem, stands quashed. 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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