



Suo Motu TR.No.3465 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED: 11.09.2025

CORAM:

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

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(STC.No.260 of 2021 of Judicial Magistrate Court No.II, Tindivanam Taluk,
Villupuram)

State rep by its
Sub Inspector of Police,
Mailam Police Station,
Villupuram.

... Petitioner

Vs.

Inthirashanth

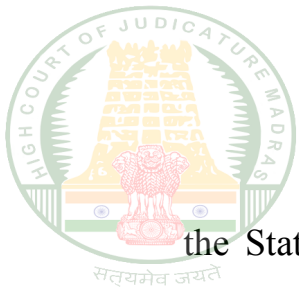
... Respondent

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 for alleged offence under 4(1) (a) and 14A of TN Prohibition Act. The incident occurred on 27.06.2021. The allegation in this case is that the accused was found to be smuggling Puducherry liquor into



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the State of Tamil nadu in his Pulsar two wheeler. It is submitted that the vehicle was confiscated. There is no previous or subsequent case as against the accused. The case is pending at the summons stage. Considering the factual matrix, context of the case, the antecedents of the accused, and the submission that, despite best efforts, the summon 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.

3. Accordingly, the proceedings in STC.No.260 of 2021 on the file of Judicial Magistrate Court No.II, Tindivanam Taluk, Villupuram is quashed and 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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