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Suo Motu TR.No.4693 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 07.10.2025

CORAM:

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

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(S.T.C.No.492 of 2019 of Judicial Magistrate Court, Tiruvarur Taluk,
Tiruvarur)

State rep. by Sub Inspector of Police,
Tiruvarur Taluk Police Station,
Tiruvarur District.

... Petitioner

Vs.

Sekar

... Respondent

For Petitioner : Ms.G.V.Kasthuri
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 in Cr.No.164 of 2019 dated 26.03.2019 was registered for the alleged offences under Sections 279 & 338 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860. In view of the nature of injury, the complainant has not even filed any claim petition and he has no objection to the case being disposed of. Summon was not served and consequently, a warrant is pending. No other previous or subsequent cases are pending.

3.Considering the nature of allegation, the antecedents of the accused,



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the reason for absence from his usual place, and the submission that, despite best efforts, summons could not be served and consequently, a warrant is pending, 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 S.T.C.No.492/2019 on the file of the Judicial Magistrate Court, Tiruvarur Taluk, Tiruvarur, shall stand 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.

D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY, J.



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