



Suo Motu TR.No. 7718 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 26.09.2025

CORAM:

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

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(C.C.No.300316 of 2018 of Judicial Magistrate Court No. I, Alandur Taluk,
Chengalpattu)

The State rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Meenambakkam Police Station,
St.Thomas Mount.

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. Harish
2. Akash

... Respondents

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.The case was registered in Cr.No.31 of 2018 dated 12.12.2018 for the alleged offence under Section 379 of Indian Penal Code, 1860. It is reported that the stolen property has already been recovered and returned to the defacto complainant and there is no previous or subsequent case as against the accused. Further, it is submitted that the accused has been attending the Court



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regularly and the defacto complainant is not residing at the given address and remains untraceable till date.

3. Considering the factual matrix, context of the case and the antecedents of the accused, any further continuance of trial would impinge upon the accused's 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.300316 of 2018 on the file of Judicial Magistrate Court No. I, Alandur Taluk, Chengalpattu shall stand quashed and this Sua Motu Transfer Case stand 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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