



Suo Motu TR.No.7728 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED: 25.09.2025

CORAM:

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

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(CC.373/2020 of Judicial Magistrate No.IV Court, Vellore Taluk, Vellore)

State rep
by its Inspector of Police,
Vellore North Police Station,
Vellore.

... Petitioner

Vs.

Karunagaran

... Respondent

For Petitioner : Mrs.G.V.Kasthuri
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 for alleged offences under Section 279 and 304(A) of Indian Penal Code. The incident occurred on 07.11.2019. It is reported that the victim was an unknown body and the dependents of the victim could not be traced out. The case is pending at the stage of warrant.



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WEB COPY3. Considering the factual matrix, context of the case and the submission that, despite best efforts, the warrant could not be executed, 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 CC.373/2020 of Judicial Magistrate No.IV Court, Vellore Taluk, Vellore 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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