



Suo Motu TR.No.7795 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 09.10.2025

CORAM:

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

Suo Motu TR.No.7795 of 2025
(CC.No.1601437 of 2016 of Judicial Magistrate No.VI, Puducherry
Taluk,Puducherry)

For Petitioner : Mr.M.V.Ramachandra Murthy
ADPP, Puducherry
Assisted by
Mr.M.Thamizhmani

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.106 of 2014 for the alleged offence under Sections 379 of Indian Penal Code, 1860. The stolen property has been recovered, but however the same was not returned to the defacto complainant, since he remained elusive. There is no previous case or subsequent case as against the accused. Warrant is pending against the accused.

3. Considering the factual matrix, context of the case, the antecedents of the accused, the reason for absence from his usual place, 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.



WEB COPY



Suo Motu TR.No.7795 of 2025

D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY, J.

rap

4. Accordingly, the case in CC.No.1601437 of 2016 of Judicial Magistrate No.VI, Puducherry Taluk, Puducherry shall stand quashed and this Sua Motu Transfer Case stand disposed of.

09.10.2025

rap

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.

Suo Motu TR.No.7795 of 2025