



Suo Motu TR.No. 15214 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED: 24.09.2025

CORAM:

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

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(C.C.No.881/2020 of XXIII Metropolitan Magistrate Court,
Saidapet Taluk, Chennai)

The State rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Kotturpuram Police Station,
Mylapore.

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. Mujibur Rahman Bagavi
2. Nazrudeen
3. Hajmal
4. Siddiq
5. Mohammed Yusuf

... Respondents

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Vinoth Kumar
Government Advocate (crl.side)

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.770 of 2019 dated 27.12.2019 for
the alleged offence under Section 143, 188 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and



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Section 41 of Tamil Nadu City Police Act, 1888. The allegations in this case

are that on 27.12.2019, the accused persons, without obtaining any permission, staged a protest in front of Ashok Nagar Metro Station., thereby causing obstruction to traffic.

3. It can be seen that the allegations concern exercising the democratic right to protest. Given the context and nature of the allegations, continuing the trial impinges on the right to a speedy trial of the accused. No useful purpose will be served by continuing the case.

4. Accordingly, the proceedings in C.C.No.881/2020 on the file of the XXIII Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Saidapet Taluk, Chennai stand quashed and this Sua Motu Transfer Case stands 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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D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY, J.

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