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Suo Motu TR.No.16067 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 25.09.2025

CORAM:

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

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(C.C.No.66 of 2024 of Judicial Magistrate Court No.I, Karaikal Taluk,
Karaikal)

State Rep. by the
The Sub Inspector of Police
Neravy Police Station,
Karaikal

... Petitioner

Vs.

Selvam @ Selvakumar

.... Respondent

For Petitioner : Mr.M.V.Ramachandramurthy
ADPP (Puducherry)

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.82 of 2007 for the alleged offence
under Section 380 of the I.P.C. The mother case in C.C.No.707 of 2023
proceeded further and resulted in an acquittal. The grounds for acquittal also
apply to the present accused. The matter has been pending for the execution



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of warrant.

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3.Considering the factual matrix, context of the case, the background of the accused, the reason for his absence at his place of residence, and the submission made 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 her 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.66 of 2024 of Judicial Magistrate Court No.I, Karaikal Taluk, Karaikal, stands 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.



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D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY, J.

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