



Suo Motu TR.No.20924 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 24.10.2025

CORAM:

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

Suo Motu TR.No.20924 of 2025

(C.C.No.100064 of 2013 of Judicial Magistrate Court, Palacode Taluk,
Dharmapuri)

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.64 of 2011 for the alleged offence under Section 380 I.P.C. The allegation in this case is that the accused committed theft of complainant's gold jewel. It is reported that the stolen property has been recovered and handed over to the defacto-complainant. The defacto-complainant does not want to proceed with the case any further. There is no previous or subsequent case 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 summons could not be served, 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 C.C.No.100064 of 2013 of Judicial Magistrate Court, Palacode Taluk, Dharmapuri, stands quashed. This Suo Motu Transfer Case is disposed of.

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