



Crl.O.P.(MD) No.16694 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 15.10.2025

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

Crl.O.P.(MD) No.16694 of 2024

1.V.Rajangam

2.Andichamy

3.V.Thiyagarajan

... Petitioners

Vs.

1.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Melur Taluk, Madurai District.

2.The State rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Kottampatti Police Station,
Melur Taluk, Madurai.

3.C.Vallimayil

... Respondents

PRAYER : Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 528 of Bharathiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 to call for records in connection with Spl.S.C.No.77 of 2023 on the file of III Additional District Court for PCR cases, Madurai and quash the same.

For Petitioners : Mr.S.Arunnithy



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For R1 & R2 : Mr.K.Sanjai Gandhi
Government Advocate (Crl. Side)

For R3 : Mr.R.Prasanna

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking to quash the final report in Spl.S.C.No.77 of 2023 on the file of the III Additional District Court for PCR Cases, Madurai, filed against the petitioners for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 323, 324, 427 and 506(2) of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, Section 4 of the Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act, 2002, and Sections 3(1)(r), 3(1)(s) and 3(2) (va) of the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Act, 2015.

2. The allegation in the final report is that, on account of previous enmity, the petitioners attacked the defacto complainant and her mother with stones, sticks and cricket stumps, abused them in filthy language, humiliated them on account of their caste, and demolished an asbestos sheet house worth about Rs.5,000/-, and thus committed the aforesaid offences.



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3. Admittedly, the petitioners and the second respondent belong to the same village. It is reported that the victim died. The parties have now entered into a compromise and decided to give a quietus to the entire dispute. The parties have filed a joint compromise memo dated 28th November 2024. The scanned copy of the compromise memo reads as follows:

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
MADURAI BENCH
(Criminal jurisdiction)**

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In
Spl.Sc.No. 77 of 2023
(On the file of III Additional District court for PCR cases, Madurai)

1. V.Rajangam (M/60)
S/o Vellaissamy,
Kambur,
Kottampatti,
Madurai District.

2. Andichamy (M/50)
S/o Vellaissamy,
Kambur,
Kottampatti,
Madurai District.

3. Thiagarajan (M/45)
S/o Vellaissamy,
Kambur,
Kottampatti,
Madurai District.

...Petitioners/ A1 to A3

Vs

1. The Deputy superintendent of Police,
Melur taluk,
Madurai District.

...1st Respondent/Complainant

2. The Inspector of Police
Kottampatti Police station
Madurai District
(Crime No.369/2021)

...Respondent/Complainant

3. C.Vallimayal,
W/o. Chelladurai,
Chettikulam, Vadakarai
Kottampatti, Melur Taluk,

V. Rajangam
V. Andichamy
V. Thiagarajan

Sd/-



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Madurai District, ...2nd Respondent/Defacto complainant

Joint Compromise Memo

1. It is respectfully submitted that on the basis of the complaint given by the 3rd respondent /de facto complainant a case in Spl.Sc.No.77 of 2023 on the file of III Additional District court for PCR cases, Madurai final report filed for the offences under Sections 294(b), 323, 324, 427 506(ii) of I.P.C, S.4 of TNPHW Act and S.3(1) (r), 3(1)(a), 3(2) (va) of SC-ST Act

2. It is submitted that the parties had land dispute and now they have arrived to solve the issue by mutual consent. The issue has been settled between the de-facto complainant as well as the petitioners, it was decided to withdraw the complaint against the petitioners and the said dispute has been amicably settled between both the parties. And further decided to withdraw the complaint. Hence there is no necessity to continue the criminal proceedings against the Petitioners and continuation of the same would be abuse of process of law.

Hence, we prayed that this Hon'ble Court may be pleased to accept the compromise memo and quash the case in Spl.Sc.No. 77 of 2023 on the file of the III Additional District court for PCR cases, Madurai based on the affidavit filed by the 3rd respondent/defacto complainant and pass such further or other orders as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper to the circumstances of the case and thus render justice.

Dated at Madurai on this 28th day of November, 2024

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1. V. Rajangam	
2. V. Andichamy	
3. V. Thiagarajan	
Petitioners	3 rd Respondent/De-facto Complainant
 Counsel for Petitioners H.s. 9/08/2024	 Counsel for 3 rd Respondent

4. The petitioners, namely, (1) V.Rajangam, (2) Andichamy, and (3) V.Thiyagarajan and the second respondent/defacto complainant, namely, C.Vallimayil are present before this Court in person. The parties are identified by Mr.B.Kabir Oli, Special Sub Inspector of Police, Kottampatti Police Station Madurai District. It is also confirmed by the learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) for the first respondent that the second respondent/defacto complainant has not received compensation in terms of the Act. All the parties confirmed the compromise arrived at between them.

5. In view of the same and considering the nature of the offences and the relationship between the parties, this Court is of the view that no



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useful purpose would be served by keeping the impugned final report pending trial. Accordingly, the impugned final report in Spl.S.C.No.77 of 2023 on the file of the III Additional District Court for PCR Cases, Madurai, is quashed. The petitioners shall pay a sum of Rs.5,000/- as costs to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre attached to the Madurai Bench of Madras High Court forthwith and file a photocopy of the receipt along with a memo reporting compliance in the Registry.

6. Hence, this Criminal Original Petition stands allowed.

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Neutral Citation: Yes / No

Speaking Order / Non-Speaking Order

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III Additional District Court for PCR Cases,
Madurai.
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Melur Taluk, Madurai District.
- 3.The Inspector of Police,
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4.The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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