



Crl.A.(MD)No.462 of 2017

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 02.07.2025

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE **DR. JUSTICE R.N.MANJULA**

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Moorthy

... Appellant/Accused No.1

versus

State rep., by
The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Thirupparankuntram,
Austinpatti Police Station,
Madurai.
(in Crime No.201 of 2016)

... Respondent/ Complainant

Prayer : Criminal Appeal filed under Section 374 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to call for the records relating to the judgment dated 23.10.2017 in Spl.S.C.No.96 of 2016 on the file of the learned III Additional District and Sessions Judge (PCR Cases), Madurai, and to set aside the conviction and sentence, allow the appeal by acquitting the appellant.

For Appellant : Mr.S.Thirupathy

For R1 & R2 : Mr.K.Gnanasekaran
Government Advocate (Crl.side)



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JUDGMENT

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When the matter is taken up for hearing today, the learned Government Advocate (Crl. Side) submits that the sole appellant in this case died, due to committing suicide. Based on which, a case in Crime No.67 of 2020 has been registered by the Inspector of Police, Austinpatti Police Station, under Section 174 of Cr.P.C., and enquiry has been conducted and the same has been closed as “Further Action Dropped”. The respondent Police has also produced a copy of the FIR in Crime No.67 of 2020 along with the certificate issued by the Village Administrative Officer, Thanakankulam, Thirupparankundram Taluk.

2. In view of the same, this Criminal Appeal is dismissed as abated.

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Index : Yes/No
NCC : Yes/No.

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To

- 1.The learned III Additional District and Sessions Judge (PCR Cases),
Madurai.
- 2.The Deputy Superintendent of Police,
Thirupparankuntram,
Austinpatti Police Station,
Madurai.
- 3.The learned Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.



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