



CRL OP(MD). No.18272 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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Dated : 27/10/2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNDER MOHAN

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1. Shanmugavel @ Kamaraj

2. Karthikeyan

... Petitioners

Vs

1. The State of Tamilnadu,
Rep by the Inspector of Police,
Kulithalai Police Station,
Karur District.
(Crime No.556 of 2025).

2. Pavasuthan,
S/o.Mayilvaganan

... Respondents

PRAYER :- This Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 528 BNSS, to call for the records pertaining to the First Information Report in Crime No.556 of 2025 on the file of the first respondent and quash the same as illegal.

For Petitioners : Mr.K.Arunraj,

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

For R2 : Mr.M.Deepan Chakravarthi



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This Criminal Original Petition is filed seeking to quash the FIR in Crime No.556 of 2025 on the file of the first respondent Police, which was registered for the offences under Sections 296(b), 118(1) and 351(3) of BNS, 2023.

2. The allegation in the FIR is that on account of prior enmity, the petitioners attacked the defacto complainant, abused him in filthy language and also threatened him with dire consequences and thus, committed the aforesaid offences.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned counsel for the defacto complainant/the second respondent would submit that the parties have now entered into a compromise on the advise of the elders and well-wishers and both the parties have agreed that the impugned F.I.R may be quashed.

4.The parties have also filed a joint compromise memo dated 14.10.2025. The scanned copy of the compromise memo reads as follows:



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

Crl.O.P (MD) No. 18272 Of 2025

- In -

Crime No. 556 of 2025
(On the file of the 1st Respondent Police)

1. Shanmugavel @ Kamaraj (M/27/2025)
S/o. Murugan,
No. 14/105-1, Harisana Street,
Valanthur, Vaiganallur,
Kulithalai Taluk, Karur District.
 2. Karthikeyan (M/23/2025)
S/o. Kumar,
No.11, Periyar Nagar,
Near Bypass, Kulithalai Post and Taluk,
Karur District.
- Vs -
1. The State Rep. by
The Inspector of Police,
Kulithalai Police Station,
Karur District.
(Crime No. 556 of 2025)
 2. Pavasuthan,
S/o. Mayilvaganan,
Aathithiravidar Colony,
Thimmachipuram, K. Pettai Village,
Kulithalai Taluk,
Karur District.
- ... Petitioners/Accused Nos. 1 & 2
- ... 1st Respondent /Complainant
- ... 2nd Respondent/Defacto Complainant



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JOINT COMPROMISE MEMO.

1. The Petitioners and the 2nd Respondent submit that at the instance of the 2nd Respondent the above said case was registered in Crime No. 556 of 2025 dated 17.09.2025 for the alleged offences U/s. 296 (b), 118 (1) and 351 (3) of BNS, now the same is pending before the 1st Respondent Police.
2. The Petitioners and the 2nd Respondent submit that on 17.09.2025 at about 4.30 p.m., when the Petitioners/Accused and the Defacto Complainant went to TASMACH for consuming alcohol, at the time, there arose a dispute between the accused and the Defacto Complainant and Accused have scolded the Defacto Complainant with filthy language and also assaulted him with dire consequences. Therefore the Defacto Complainant lodged a complaint before the 1st Respondent Police and the same was registered a case in Crime No. 556 of 2025 dated 17.09.2025 for the alleged offences U/s. 296 (b), 118 (1) and 351 (3) of BNS as against the Petitioners. Moreover the petitioners and the 2nd Respondent are belongs to same village. Now, the Petitioners and the 2nd Respondent are compromised, so the 2nd Respondent voluntarily came forwarded to have an amicable settlement, as a result of which the present Compromise Memo for quashing the above said case.
3. The Petitioners and the 2nd Respondent further submit that during the pendency of the proceeding, at the intervention of the elders, both the parties and village head men of their village have together, in which an amicable conclusion has been arrived at and as one part of a conclusion, the 2nd Respondent has agreed to say no objection for the purpose of quashing the present criminal proceeding.

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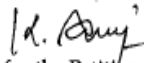


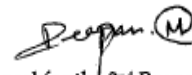
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4. The Petitioners as well as the 2nd Respondent jointly submits that such compromise has been taken place purely with an intention to settle the issue among them and it is purely voluntary by the parties concerned. Hence, in order to avoid further proceedings of the 1st respondent. This Hon'ble Court by taking into consideration of the above said aspects with regard to the compromise and in the interest of the parties, can leniently look into the present issue, as such the prior sought for by the Petitioners can be allowed.

It is therefore prayed that the Petitioners as well as the 2nd Respondent jointly prays that this Hon'ble Court may be pleased to take into consideration of the present Joint Compromise Memo and quash the First Information Report in Crime No. 556 of 2025 on the file of the 1st Respondent Police and thus render justice.

Dated at Madurai on this 17th day of October 2025


Counsel for the Petitioners


Counsel for the 2nd Respondent

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Petitioners

2nd Respondent/ Defacto Complainant



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5.The petitioners, namely, Shanmugavel (Aadhaar No.5233 0446 3373), Karthikeyan (Aadhaar No.2577 8640 5904), and the second respondent, namely, Pavasuthan (Aadhaar No.8581 3990 9359) are present before this Court in person. They are identified by Mr.K.Manisekaran, Sub Inspector of Police, Kulithalai Police Station, Karur District. All the parties confirmed the compromise arrived at between them.

6.Considering the nature of the offences and the fact that the parties have arrived at a compromise, this Court is of the view that no useful purpose would be served by keeping the impugned FIR pending investigation. Accordingly, the impugned FIR in Crime No.556 of 2025, on the file of the first respondent police, is quashed and the Criminal Original Petition stands allowed.

27.10.2025

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1. The Inspector of Police,
Kulithalai Police Station,
Karur District.
2. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
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