



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 25-06-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE M. NIRMAL KUMAR

CRL OP Nos. 14053 and 15797 of 2026

CRL OP No. 14053 of 2026

Prabhakaran @ Prabakaran
S/o Palani

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The State Rep By,
The Inspector of Police
W2 AWPS Police Station Triplicane,
Chennai - 600 002.
Crime No.1 of 2025.
2. Manorajitham
W/o Aswin Kumar,

..Respondent(s)

To call for the records in SC.No.781 of 2025 on the file of the Magalir Neethimandram Allikulam at Chennai and Quash the same and thus render justice.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.C. Prabhu

For Respondent(s): Mr.R.Rajasekaran, G.A.(Crl. Side), for R1



CRL OP No. 15797 of 2026

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1. Manoranjitham
W/o Aswin Kumar,

2. Aswin Kumar

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The State Rep By,
The Inspector of Police
D1-Police Station,
Chennai - 600 002.
Crime No.62 of 2025

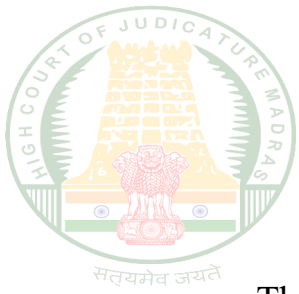
2. Pavithra

..Respondent(s)

To call for the records in Crime No.62 of 2025 on the file of the first respondent and Quash the same and thus render justice.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.P.Mughilvannan

For Respondent(s): Mr.R.Rajasekaran, G.A.(Crl. Side), for R1



COMMON ORDER

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These Criminal Original Petitions have been filed by the petitioners seeking to quash the criminal proceedings in Crime No.62 of 2025 pending on the file of the first respondent Police and S.C.No.781 of 2025 pending on the file of the Magalir Neethimandram Allikulam, Chennai

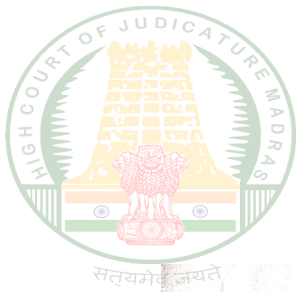
2.The case of the prosecution in CRL.OP.No.14053 of 2026 is that Prahakaran @ Prabakaran, and Manoranjitham became acquainted through social media and entered into a relationship. It was alleged that on the false promise of marriage, Prahakaran @ Prabakaran sexually assaulted Manoranjitham. Thereafter, when she got pregnant, she was forced to undergo an abortion. The said Prahakaran @ Prabakaran and his wife threatened Manoranjitham to end her relationship with him and also intimidated her by threatening to circulate her private photographs. Based on the complaint lodged by Manoranjitham, an FIR was registered. Upon completion of the investigation, a final report was filed in SC.No.781 of 2025 on the file of the Magalir Neethimandram, Allikulam at Chennai.

3.The case of the prosecution in CRL.OP.No.15797 of 2026 is that the defacto complainant's husband, Prabakaran, who was serving as a Grade II Police Driver, became acquainted with Manoranjitham and her husband



Ashwin, through Facebook. It is alleged that they induced him to become a partner of their finance business, pursuant to which Prabakaran transferred Rs.15,00,000/- to their account. When Prabakaran demanded repayment of the said amount, they allegedly refused to return the money. Further, they threatened Prabakaran using personal photographs also threatened to file a false complaint against him to ensure his dismissal from Government service. Hence, an FIR in Crime No.62 of 2025 came to be registered against Manoranjitham and her husband.

4.The learned counsel for either of the parties submitted that the occurrence arose out of a misunderstanding between the parties, which was purely personal in nature. Subsequently, with the intervention of elders and well-wishers, the parties resolved their differences amicably. In view of the settlement, they have filed a Joint Compromise Memos, which were scanned and reproduced hereunder:



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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Crl.O.P.No. | 4053 of 2026

IN

SC No.781 of 2025

(On the file of the Magalir Neethimandram Allikulam At
Chennai)

Prabhakaran,M/34

S/o Palani

No.50, 2nd Street, Valluvar Colony,

Lakshmi Nagar,Guduvanchery,

Chengalpattu District – 603 202

...Petitioner/Accused

-Vs-

1. State represented by

The Inspector of Police

W-2 AWPS Police Station Triplicane,

Chennai -600 002

(Crime No.1 of 2025)

... Respondent/Complainant

2. Manoranjitham, M/34

W/o Aswin Kumar

No.11/4, thangavel pillai Garden,

2 nd street, Old washermenpet,

Chennai -606 305

...Respondent/Defacto-Complainant

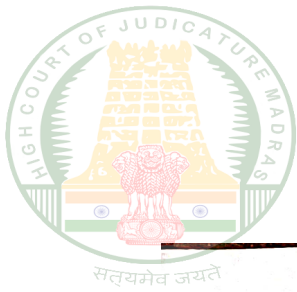
JOINT COMPROMISE MEMO FILED BY THE PARTIES

The Petitioner and the 2nd Respondent above named jointly submit as follows:

1. The parties state that the criminal proceedings originated from a personal dispute between the Petitioner and the 2nd Respondent, leading to the registration of Crime No. 01 of 2025 at W2 All Women Police Station, Triplicane.
2. The parties state that they have now settled their disputes out of court through an amicable settlement in the presence of mediators and family members.

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P. Prabhakaran



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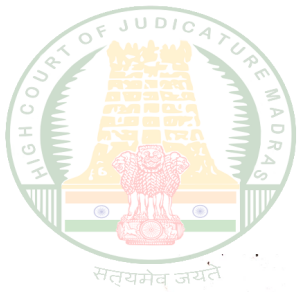
3. The 2nd Respondent/Complainant categorically states that she is not interested in pursuing the prosecution further and wishes to put an end to the litigation to ensure peace and harmony for both families.
4. Both parties agree that the continuation of the trial would be an abuse of the process of law, given that the complainant will not be supporting the prosecution's case.
5. The parties, therefore, jointly pray that this Hon'ble Court may be pleased to take this Joint Compromise Memo on record and quash the proceedings in SC No. 781 of 2025 on the file of the Magalir Neethimandram Allikulam at Chennai in the interest of justice.

Dated at Chennai on this ____ day of April 2026.

P. Prababu
PETITIONER

J. Mary 09/04/26
2nd RESPONDENT

C. Kumar
Counsel for Petitioner



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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS**CrI.O.P. No. 15797 of 2026****IN****Crime No.62 of 2025**

(On the file of the D1 Triplicane Police Station,

1.Manoranjitham, F/34

W/o Aswin Kumar

No.11/4, Thangavel pillai Garden,

2 nd street, Old washermenpet,

Chennai -606 305.

2. Aswin Kumar, M/42

S/o R.Rudhra Giri (Late)

No.11/4, Thangavel pillai Garden,

2 nd street, Old washermenpet,

Chennai -606 305

...Petitioner/Accused1&2

-Vs-

1. State represented by

The Inspector of Police

D1-Police Station Triplicane,

Chennai -600 002

(Crime No.62 of 2025)

... Respondent/Complainant

2.Pavithra, F/ 27

W/o Prabakaran

No.50, 2nd Street, Valluvar Colony,

Lakshmi Nagar,Guduvanchery,

Chengalpattu District - 603 202

...Respondent/Defacto-Complainant

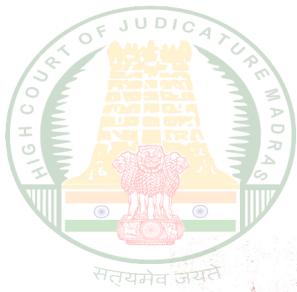
**JOINT-COMPROMISE MEMO FILED BY PETITIONERS
AND DEFACTO COMPLAINANT**

1. It is submitted by the parties that the above petition arises out of the FIR registered on the file of the Respondent Police. The parties to these cases have decided to bury their past and want to lead a peaceful life by forgetting bitter past.

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2. It is submitted that due to misunderstanding and differences of opinion regarding financial transactions and investment disputes related to "RRR Finance," the Defacto Complainant ended up filing an unwarranted police complaint against the Petitioners.
3. It is submitted that the Defacto Complainant and the Petitioners have now reached an amicable compromise and settled all their differences, including those pertaining to the alleged transfer of Rs. 15,00,000 and other related grievances.
4. The Defacto Complainant has realized that as a result of the said complaint, the Petitioners stand accused under Sections 316(2) and 318(4) of the BNS Act, 2023, and she is no longer interested in prosecuting the same.
5. It is submitted that both parties have settled their financial claims and returned all articles, including the ATM and Credit cards mentioned in the FIR, and nothing further is pending with each other.
6. In such a situation, making the Petitioners face further proceedings for the alleged offences would make their lives precarious and would lead to irreparable loss and hardship.
7. It is submitted that since the dispute is essentially private and financial in nature, and the parties have voluntarily settled, any further investigation or trial would be a clear abuse of the process of law.

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R. Anand



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8. For the above said reasons, this Hon'ble Court may be pleased to record this Joint Compromise Memo filed by the parties and call for the entire records connected with Crime No.62 of 2025 pending on the file of the D1 Triplicane Police Station, Chennai and quash the FIR and thus render justice.

[Signature]

Dated at Chennai on this 09th day of April, 2026

P. Pail
Defacto Complainant

R. An. G.
Petitioners

G. Murugan
MS1238/2010
Counsel for Petitioner



5. The learned Govt. Advocate (Crl. Side) appearing for the first respondent Police submitted that based on the complaint of both parties, FIRs came to be registered and in one case, charge sheet was filed and the same has been taken on file in SC.No.781 of 2025. He further submitted that though the parties have entered into a compromise, this Court, taking into account the seriousness of the offence, has to consider as to whether offences of this nature can be quashed on the ground of compromise between parties.

6. Heard both sides and perused the materials available on record.

7. The matter arises out of a case and counter-case between the parties. Crime No.62 of 2025, is still at the stage of investigation and SC.No.781 of 2025 is pending trial. By passage of time, the parties have decided to bury their hatchet and compromise the dispute amicably among themselves.

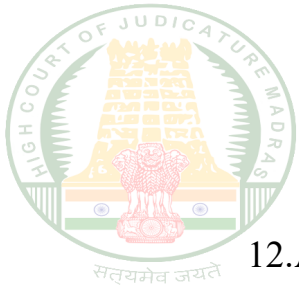
8. Both the parties appeared before this Court and were duly identified by their respective counsel.

9. On interaction by this Court, both the parties stated that they have amicably settled the dispute between them and they are not willing to pursue the criminal proceedings and therefore, seek to quash the same.



10. The main issue that requires the consideration of this Court is as to whether this Court can quash the criminal proceedings involving non-compoundable offences pending against the parties. The Hon'ble Supreme Court, in the case of *Parbathbhai Aahir @ Parbathbhai Vs. State of Gujarat*, reported in (2017) 9 SCC 641, has given sufficient guidelines that must be taken into consideration by this Court while exercising its jurisdiction under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. (corresponding to Section 528 BNSS), to quash non-compoundable offences. One very important test that has been laid down is that the Court must necessarily examine if the crime in question is purely individual in nature or a crime against the society with overriding public interest. The Hon'ble Supreme Court has held that offences against the society with overriding public interest even if they get settled between the parties, cannot be quashed by this Court.

11. In the present case, the offences in question are purely individual/personal in nature. It involves dispute between the parties and quashing the proceedings will not affect any overriding public interest in this case and no useful purpose will be served in continuing with the criminal proceedings. In view of the above, this Court is inclined to quash the proceedings pending in Crime No.62 of 2025 before the first respondent Police and S.C.No.781 of 2025 pending on the file of Magalir Neethimandram Allikulam, Chennai.



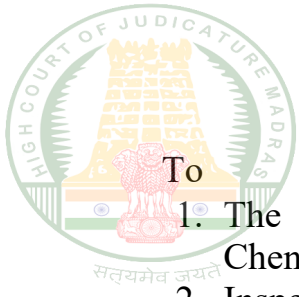
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12. Accordingly, these Criminal Original Petitions stand allowed and the proceedings in Crime No.62 of 2025 before the first respondent Police and S.C.No.781 of 2025 pending on the file of Magalir Neethimandram Allikulam, Chennai, are quashed.

13. The affidavits and the Joint compromise Memos filed by the parties for compromising the offences shall form part of the record.

25-06-2026

Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No
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4. The Public Prosecutor,
High Court, Madras



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M.NIRMAL KUMAR, J.

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