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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 03-11-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE G.K. ILANTHIRAIYAN

CRL OP No. 32151 of 2026

CNR:{HCMA012658282026}

V.V.Balasubramanian

..Petitioner

Vs

1. State of Tamil Nadu Rep. by its
   The Inspector of Police
   Sulur Police Station,
   Crime No.283 of 2026.

2. Vishwanathan

..Respondents

Prayer: Criminal Original Petition filed under Section 528 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, praying to call for the records of FIR dated 31.03.2026 in Crime No.283 of 2026 on the file of the 1st Respondent and quash the same and pass any such orders or further orders as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit and thereby render justice.

For Petitioner: Mr.Ashwin Prasad
For Respondents: Mr.R.Ganesh Kumar
Additional Public Prosecutor for R1
Mr.Navin Suresh for R2

ORDER

This Criminal Original Petition has been filed seeking to quash the FIR registered in Crime No.283 of 2026 on the file of the first respondent, for the offences under Section 3(1) of the Tamil Nadu Property (Prevention of Damage and Loss to Property) Act, 1992.

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2. Pending this petition, the parties have decided to bury their hatchet and compromise the dispute amicably among themselves.

3. A Joint Memo of Compromise has been filed before this Court, which has been signed by the petitioner, the defacto complainant and two witnesses. All the parties are present and identified by the Police. In order to identify the respective parties, they have also produced the copies of the Aadhaar Card and it is made part of the record. This Court also enquired both the parties and was satisfied that the parties have come to an amicable settlement between themselves.

4. Under such circumstances, no useful purpose will be served in keeping the First Information Report pending, even though, the offences involved are not compoundable in nature. In the light of the guidelines given by the Hon'ble Supreme Court reported in ***2017 9 SCC 641*** in the case of ***Parbathbhai Aahir @ Parbathbhai Vs. State of Gujrath,*** this Court in exercise of its jurisdiction under Section 528 of BNSS, 2023, quashes the FIR in Crime No.283 of 2026 pending investigation on the file of the first respondent.

5. In view of the above, the FIR in Crime No.283 of 2026 on the file of the first respondent, is hereby quashed as against all the accused persons. The terms of Joint Memo of Compromise shall form part and parcel of this Order.

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The petitioner shall pay a sum of Rs.10,000/-, (Rupees Ten Thousand only) as costs, to the Tamil Nadu Mediation and Conciliation Centre, Madras High Court, Tamil Nadu, forthwith and file a photocopy of the receipt along with a memo reporting compliance in the Registry.

6. Accordingly, the Criminal Original Petition stands allowed.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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To

1.The Inspector of Police
Sulur Police Station,
Coimbatore.

2.The Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Madras,
Chennai.

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