

IN THE COURT I ADDL. SESSIONS JUDGE, THODUPUZHA

Present: Sri. NIXON M. JOSEPH, I ADDL. SESSIONS JUDGE/SPECIAL JUDGE

Wednesday the 8th day of May, 2024 / 18th day of Vaisakha, 1946

SESSIONS CASE No. 45/2024

(C.P. No.93/2023 of J.F.C.M., Nedumkandam)

(Crime No. 162/2019 of Vandanmedu Police Station)

Complainant : The Sub Inspector of Police.
Vandanmedu Police Station.

By Adv.Sri. P.S. Rajesh,
Additional Public Prosecutor, Thodupuzha.

Accused : Somasundaram S/o. Raveendran,
Chirayil (H), aged 41/2019,
Pachalam, Ernakulam Village,
Ernakulam District.

No vakkalath

Charge : U/ss.279 of I.P.C. and u/s.139 of Electricity Act

Plea : Guilty

Finding : Guilty

Sentence : The convict is sentenced to pay a fine of ₹10,000/-
(Rupees ten thousand only) u/s 139 of Electricity Act. In
default, the convict shall undergo simple imprisonment for
10 (ten)days. He is sentenced to pay a fine of ₹1,000/-
(Rupees thousand only) u/s. 279 of IPC. In default, the
convict shall undergo simple imprisonment for
1 (one) day.

Trial : --

Hearing : 08.05.2024

Judgment : 08.05.2024

TABULAR FORM

Serial No. : Sessions Case No. 45/2024

Name of Police station and crime number of offence : Crime No. 162/2019 of Vandanmedu Police Station

Name and designation of Committing Magistrate : Sri. Rovin Rodrigues , JFCM, Nedumkandam

DESCRIPTION OF THE ACCUSED

Sl. No.	Name	Father's/ Husband's Name	Occupation	Religion	Residence	Age
1.	Somasundaram	Ravindran	--	--	Chirayil (H), Pachalam, Ernakulam Village, Ernakulam District.	41/2019

DATE OF

Occurrence : 19.04.2019

Complaint : 27.05.2019

Apprehension : 04.05.2019

Release on bail : 04.05.2019

Commitment : 29.01.2024

Commencement of trial	:	08.05.2024
Commencement of Evidence	:	--
Close of trial	:	--
Sentence or order	:	08.05.2024
Service of copy of Judgment or finding on accused-	:	08.05.2024
Explanation for delay	:	No delay
Period of detention undergone during Investigation, enquiry or trial for the purpose of 428 Cr.P.C.	:	---

J U D G M E N T

The accused stands indicted for offences punishable u/ss.279 of IPC and u/s.139 of Electricity Act by the Sub Inspector of Police, Vandanmedu police station.

2. The allegation is that, on 19.04.2019 at 8 pm the accused drove a KSRTC bus bearing Reg.No.KL-15-6657 through Munnar-Kumily highway in a rash or negligent manner and hit against an electric post causing damage and hence the accused committed the alleged offences.

3. On completion of investigation final report was filed against accused before the Judicial Magistrate of the First Class, Nedumkandam. Cognizance was taken for the alleged offences. Copies of the prosecution records were furnished and the learned Magistrate committed the case in CP.93/2023 to the Court of Session. The case was taken on file as SC.45/2024 by the Court of Session and made over to the Special Court for trial and disposal.

4. In pursuance of summons the accused appeared. He is defended by a lawyer of his choice. After hearing both sides, charge was framed for the offence punishable u/ss.279 and 427 of IPC and u/s.139 of Electricity Act. When the charge was read over and explained the accused pleaded guilty. The plea was found to be genuine and made voluntarily and hence the same was accepted. His counsel was also present. The accused was found guilty of and convicted for the charged offence.

The convict is sentenced to pay a fine of ₹10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) u/s 139 of Electricity Act. In default, the convict shall undergo simple imprisonment for 10 (ten)days. He is sentenced to pay a fine of ₹1,000/- (Rupees thousand only) u/s. 279

of IPC. In default, the convict shall undergo simple imprisonment for 1 (one) day.

Dictated to the confidential assistant, transcribed and typed by her and corrected and pronounced by me in open Court on this the 8th day of May 2024.

APPENDIX : Nil

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Sd/-
NIXON M. JOSEPH
I Addl. Sessions Judge

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(By Order)

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