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CRL.P No. 7590 of 2026
C/W CRL.P No. 1334 of 2022

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 20TH DAY OF JULY, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.NAGAPRASANNA

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 7590 OF 2026

C/W

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 1334 OF 2022

IN CRL.P No. 7590/2026

BETWEEN:

1. SUNDARESHAN V
S/O VELAYUTHAM
AGED 40 YEARS
R/O NO 25/1, 14TH CROSS
4TH MAIN, LAKSHMINARAYANAPURA
SRIRAMAPURAM POST
BENGALURU- 560 021.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI: JEEVAN K.,ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
BY THE BASAVANGUDI WOMEN P.S
BASAVANGUDI
BENGALURU-560 002
REP BY SPP, HCK
BENGALURU 560001.

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2. SMT JAYAPRIYA
W/O SUNDERESHAN
AGED 35 YEARS
R/AT NO.25/1, 14TH CROSS
4TH MAIN, LAKSHMINARAYANAPURA
SRIRAMPUTAM
BENGALURU - 560 076

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI: K NAGESHWARAPPA, HCGP FOR R1;
SRI: GANESH N SWAMY, ADV FOR R2)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED UNDER SECTION 482(FILED UNDER SECTION 528 BNSS) CR.P.C BY THE PETITIONER PRAYING TO QUASH THE CHARGE SHEET FILED BY THE FIRST RESPONDENT POLICE AGAINST THE PETITIONER ON THE FILE OF THE XXXII A.C.J.M (EARLIER XXXVII A.C.M.M) BENGALURU IN C.C.NO.16126/2021 FOR THE OFFENCE PUNISHABLE UNDER SECTIONS 498(A), 506 OF IPC AND SECTIONS 3, 4 OF D.P ACT IN SO FOR AS THIS PETITIONER IS CONCERNED.

IN CRL.P NO. 1334/2022

BETWEEN:

1. SMT MALLIGA
W/O VELAYUTHAM
AGED ABOUT 58 YEARS
R/O NO.25/1
14TH CROSS 4TH MAIN
LAKSHMINARAYANAPURA
SRIRAMAPURA POST
BENGALURU-560 021
2. SRI PAVAN KUMAR
S/O VELAYUTHAM
AGED ABOUT 24 YEARS
R/O NO.25/1



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14TH CROSS 4TH MAIN
LAKSHMINARAYANAPURA
SRIRAMAPURAM POST
BENGALURU-560 021

3. SRI MANOHAR
S/O CHINNATHAMBI
AGED ABOUT 55 YEARS
R/O NO.U-30 4TH CROSS
DAYANDANAGARA
BENGALURU NORTH
BENGALURU-560 021

...PETITIONERS

(BY SRI: JEEVAN K.,ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
BY THE BASAVANAGUDI WOMEN P S
BASAVANAGUDI
BENGALURU-560 002
REPRESENTED BY SPP
HIGH COURT BUILDING
BANGALORE - 560 001
2. SMT JAYAPRIYA
W/OSUNDARESHAN
AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS
R/O NO.225
TAYAPPA GARDEN
5TH CROSS BILEKAHALLI
D C HALLI BANNERGHATTA ROAD
BENGALURU-560 076

ALSO AT
UNION OFFICE ROAD
VINNUVAPATTU
KALASAPAKKUM TALUK



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THIRUVANAMALAI DISTRICT
TAMILNADU - PIN-606751

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI: K NAGESHWARAPPA, HCGP FOR R1;
SRI: GANESH N SWAMY, ADV FOR R2)

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THESE CRL.Ps, COMING ON FOR FINAL HEARING, THIS DAY, ORDER WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: **HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.NAGAPRASANNA**

ORAL COMMON ORDER

Heard Sri K Jeevan, learned counsel appearing for the petitioners, Sri K Nageshwarappa, learned High Court Government Pleader appearing for respondent No.1, Sri Ganesh N Swamy, learned counsel appearing for respondent No.2 and have perused the material on record.

2. During the pendency of the proceedings, the parties to the *lis* have settled the dispute among themselves and have



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filed a joint memo along with an affidavit. The joint memo reads as follows:

"JOINT MEMO IN CRL.P.NO.7590/2026"

1. That the above Criminal Petition filed by the petitioner /accused No.1 seeking to quash the chargesheet filed by the Basavangudi Women Police the respondent No 1 herein against the petitioner and petitioners in CrI P No 1334/2022 for the alleged offences punishable under section 498A, 506 of I.P.C and section 3 & 4 of Dowry Prohibition Act

2. That the parties have amicably settled their dispute before the Mediation Centre in M.C No 5040/2018. In the memorandum of settlement at para 9 the respondent No 2 gave her undertaking that she will co-operate with petitioner for closing/quashing the case C.C. No 16126/2021 pending before the trial court. The copy of order, decree, and of memorandum of settlement are produced along with the petition at Annexure 'C' to 'E' respectively.

3. That the petitioner herein is the husband and respondent No 2 is the wife and the dispute between them is only a matrimonial dispute and now they have amicably settled their dispute. That this Honourable Court has every discretion to quash the chargesheet in view of the settlement arrived between the parties in the above case.

Wherefore, it is prayed that this Honourable Court may kindly pleased to quash the chargesheet filed in C.C.No 16126/2021 on the file of XXXIII A.C.J.M Bengaluru for the offence punishable under section 498A, 506 of I.P.C and section 3 & 4 Dowry Prohibition Act in the interest of justice."

"JOINT MEMO IN CRL.P.NO.1334/2022"

1. That the above Criminal Petition filed by the petitioner /accused No.1 seeking to quash the



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chargesheet filed by the Basavangudi Women Police the respondent No 1 herein against the petitioners/accused No 2 to 4 for the alleged offences punishable under section 498A, 506 of I.P.C and section 3 & 4 of Dowry Prohibition Act.

2. That the accused No 1 and the respondent No 2 here who are the husband and wife have amicably settled their dispute before the Mediation Centre in M.C No 5040/2018. In the memorandum of settlement at para 9 the respondent No 2 gave her undertaking that she will co-operate with petitioners for closing/quashing the case C.C. No 16126/2021 pending before the trial court. The copy of order, decree, and of memorandum of settlement are produced along with the petition at Annexure 'C' to 'E' respectively in the connected petition Crl.P No 7590/2026 filed by accused No 1 husband of Respondent No 2 herein.

3. That the accused No 1 is the husband and respondent No 2 is the wife and the dispute between them is only a matrimonial dispute and now they have amicably settled their dispute. That this Honourable Court has every discretion to quash the chargesheet in view of the settlement arrived between the parties in the above case.

Wherefore, it is prayed that this Honourable Court may kindly pleased to quash the chargesheet filed in C.C.No 16126/2021 on the file of XXXIII A.C.J.M Bengaluru for the offence punishable under section 498A, 506 of I.P.C and section 3 & 4 Dowry Prohibition Act in the interest of justice."

3. In the light of the settlement arrived at between the parties, I deem it appropriate to accept the joint memo and



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close the proceedings against the petitioners in the subject petition.

4. The crime so registered against these petitioners as well as the charge sheet so filed pursuant to the crime in CC No.16126 of 2021 stands quashed.

5. For the aforesaid reasons, the following:

ORDER

- (i) Criminal Petitions are ***disposed***.
- (ii) Proceedings in CC No.16126 of 2021 pending before the XXXIII Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate at Bangalore, *qua* the petitioners, stands quashed.

**Sd/-
(M.NAGAPRASANNA)
JUDGE**

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