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NC: 2026:KHC:50843
CRL.P No. 11680 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 17TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANANT RAMANATH HEGDE

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 11680 OF 2026 (482(Cr.PC) /
528(BNSS))

BETWEEN:

GANESH HARIKESH
S/O. BADRINATH S.N,
AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS,
R/AT NO.43, 2ND MAIN,
VENKATACHARI NAGAR,
LOTTEGOLLAHALLI, RMV 2ND STAGE,
BENGALURU - 560 054.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI. KALYAN R., ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
CCB BENGALURU CITY POLICE,
BENGALURU CITY,
REPRESENTED BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
ATTACHED TO HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA,
BENGALURU- 560001.
2. DAYANAND M.J.
S/O. JAVURAPPA,
AGED ABOUT 52 YEARS,
WORKING AS POLICE INSPECTOR,
SPECIAL INQUIRY WING,
CCB, BENGALURU CITY POLICE,
BENGALURU- 560001.

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI. M V ANOOP KUMAR, ADDITIONAL SPP FOR R1)



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THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S 482 OF CR.PC (FILED U/S 528 BNNS) PRAYING TO i)QUASH THE FIR IN CRIME NO.44/2026 REGISTERED BY THE CCB(SEW) POLICE FOR THE ALLEGED OFFENCES U/S 318(2), 61(2) R/W SEC.3(5) AND SEC.112 OF BNS-2023, PENDING ON THE FILE OF 1ST ACJM, BENGALURU CITY, ONLY IN SO FAR PETITIONER IS CONCERNED.

THIS PETITION, COMING ON FOR ADMISSION, THIS DAY, ORDER WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANANT RAMANATH HEGDE

ORAL ORDER

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned Additional State Public Prosecutor for respondent No.1.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the issue raised in the present petition is covered in terms of the judgment of the Co-ordinate Bench of this Court in ***Somarapu Vamashi v. State of Karnataka*** in Criminal Petition No.7476/2025.

3. The Court has perused the contents of the petition and the contents of the complaint. The issue raised in the present petition is covered in terms of the aforementioned judgment.



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4. Hence, the proceedings against the petitioner is quashed.

Accordingly, the petition is ***allowed***.

Sd/-
(ANANT RAMANATH HEGDE)
JUDGE

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