

HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE C.PRAVEEN KUMAR

CRIMINAL PETITION No.9807 of 2016

ORDER:

The present Criminal Petition is filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking release in the event of arrest of the petitioners in an un-registered crime alleged to be registered in Narsipatnam Police Station, Visakhapatnam District.

The Public Prosecutor on instructions submits that no report is received till date from any quarters. Hence, I am not inclined to grant the relief as sought for. However, if the report is received for the offences punishable with imprisonment for a term which may be less than seven years or which may extend to seven years, the investigating agency is directed to follow the judgment of the Apex Court in ***Arnesh Kumar v. State of Bihar and another***^[1].

With the above direction, the Criminal Petition is disposed of.

JUSTICE C. PRAVEEN KUMAR

25.07.2016
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^[1] 2014 (2) ALT (Cri.) 457 SC