

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE RAJA ELANGO
CRIMINAL PETITION No.4737 OF 2016

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ORDER:

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The petitioners-A1 to A7 preferred the present Criminal Petition by invoking the provision under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (in short 'Cr.P.C.') seeking to quash the proceedings in PRC.No.43 of 2013 on the file of the Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Vijayawada City, Krishna District.

Heard and perused the material available on record.

The petitioners are alleged to have committed the offences punishable under Sections 341, 427, 448, 354, 323 and 506 IPC. After duly enquiring into the complaint filed by the de facto complainant, the police filed charge sheet. A reading of the charge sheet also reveals some allegations against the petitioners, truth of which can be decided after due trial. Hence, this Court is not inclined to interfere with the proceedings against the petitioners.

At this stage, the learned Counsel for the petitioners prayed for dispensing with the presence of the petitioners before the trial Court.

In view of the above submission, the presence of the petitioners 2, 5 to 7 i.e. A2, A5 to A7 only is dispensed with before the trial Court, except on the dates of framing of charges, if any, examination under Section 313 Cr.P.C., and also on the date of pronouncement of judgment. The petitioners are directed to be represented through a Counsel before the trial Court on all hearing dates.

Accordingly, the Criminal Petition is disposed of. Miscellaneous petitions pending, if any, shall stand closed.

RAJA ELANGO, J

April 06, 2016.
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