

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE RAJA ELANGO
CRIMINAL PETITION No.3162 OF 2016

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ORDER:

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This petition is filed by the petitioners-A4, A5, A7 to A9 under Section 482 Cr.P.C. seeking to quash the proceedings against them in Crime No.15 of 2016 on the file of the Mudigubba Police Station, Anantapur District, registered for the offence punishable under Sections 448, 353 and 506 r/w 34 IPC and Section 3(a) of PDPP Act.

Heard and perused the material available on record.

It is alleged that the petitioners and some other accused formed themselves into a group and criminally trespassed into the chambers of the complainant and obstructed the 2nd respondent and MPDO, while discharging their duties and damaged the office material.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and the allegations made in the complaint, this Court is not inclined to grant the relief sought by the petitioners.

At this stage, the learned Counsel for the petitioners submitted that due to pendency of the above crime, the petitioners apprehend arrest.

Learned Public Prosecutor submitted that the 1st petitioner was involved in four other crimes of this nature.

Considering the submission made by the learned Counsel for the petitioners, the 1st respondent-police are directed to complete the investigation and file a final report, if any, in accordance with law, without arresting the petitioners Nos.2 to 5, except the 1st petitioner. In the event of necessity, the 1st respondent-police are directed to issue notice to the petitioners No.2 to 5 for the purpose of investigation. On issuance of such notice, the petitioners No.2 to 5 are directed to appear before the investigating officer and give an undertaking as to their future appearance as and when required by the investigating agency for the purpose of investigation.

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

JUSTICE RAJA ELANGO

Date : 17.3.2016
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