

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE T.SUNIL CHOWDARY

CRIMINAL PETITION No.4232 of 2017

ORDER:

This petition is filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C., to quash the proceedings against the petitioners-A1 and A3 to A6 in C.C. No.400 of 2016 on the file of the Court of IV Additional Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Chittoor.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Assistant Public Prosecutor representing the State of Andhra Pradesh.

3. At the time of hearing, the only relief sought by the learned counsel for the petitioners is to dispense with the presence of the petitioner Nos.2 to 5 before the trial court on each and every date of adjournment. In view of the submission made by the learned counsel for the petitioners, this court is not inclined to go into the merits of the main case. There is no dispute with regard to the identity of petitioners. Even if the presence of the petitioner Nos.2 to 5 is dispensed with, no prejudice will be caused to the second respondent-complainant.

4. Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, the presence of the petitioner Nos.2 to 5/Accused Nos.3 to 6 in C.C. No.400 of 2016 on the file of the Court of IV Additional Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Chittoor, on each and every date of adjournment is dispensed with. However, they shall appear before the trial court as and when their presence is so required.

5. With the above direction, this criminal petition is disposed of. Miscellaneous petitions, pending if any, shall stand closed.

T.SUNIL CHOWDARY, J

June 12, 2017.
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