

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT HYDERABAD
FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AND THE STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH

[Special Original Jurisdiction]

WEDNESDAY THE TWENTY SEVENTH DAY DECEMBER
TWO THOUSAND AND SEVENTEEN

PRESENT

SMT. JUSTICE T. RAJANI

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 12624 OF 2017

Between:

Kothuri Ramakoteswara Rao & Anr. ... Petitioners/A1 & A2

V/s.

The State of Andhra Pradesh
Represented by the Public Prosecutor
High Court of Judicature for the State of
Telangana & Andhra Pradesh,
Through Station House Officer,
Old Guntur Police Station,
Guntur district

... Respondent/complainant

Counsel for the Petitioners :

Sri Grandhi Gopalakrishna Murthy

Counsel for the Respondent :

Public Prosecutor [AP]

The court made the following:

[order follows]

SMT. JUSTICE T. RAJANI**CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 12624 OF 2017****ORDER :**

This Criminal Petition is filed by the petitioners/A-1 & A-2 under section 437 and 439 of Cr.P.C., seeking to enlarge them on bail in Crime No. 283 of 2017 of Old Guntur Police Station, Guntur district, registered for the offences punishable under section 420 of IPC and Section 3 and 4 of A.P. Gaming Act.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners/A-1 and A-2 and the learned Public Prosecutor for the respondent/State.

3. The counsel for the petitioners submit that the Police did not file charge sheet in spite of the mandatory period of sixty days being completed.

4. Learned Public Prosecutor submits that there is no mandatory period under the Money Laundering Act. In such circumstances Criminal Procedure Code would be applicable.

5. Hence, in such circumstances, the petitioners are at liberty to approach the court below and seek bail on the said ground.

6. With that liberty granted to the petitioners/A-1 and A-2, this

Criminal Petition is dismissed.

7. As a sequel, miscellaneous petitions if any, pending in this

Criminal Petition shall stand closed.

JUSTICE T. RAJANI.



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[DISMISSED]



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