

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE U.DURGA PRASAD RAO

I.A.No. 5 OF 2018
IN/ AND
CRIMINAL PETITION No. 1578 OF 2018

COMMON ORDER:

De facto complainant and his counsel Ms. N.Sameera are present. Sri T.Ram Shankar, Special Power of Attorney Holder of the petitioner-accused No. 8 (*vide* Special Power of Attorney dated 27-06-2018), is present along with his counsel Sri M.L.Ali. Both the parties are identified by their respective counsel.

2. Pending criminal petition, parties filed IA.No. 2 of 2018 seeking permission of this Court to compound the offences. By a separate order dated 24-04-2018, this Court granted permission for compounding the offences.

3. Having regard to the fact that permission was already granted in I.A.No. 2 of 2018 and also following the decision reported in *Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another*¹, I.A.No. 5 of 2018 is allowed and the parties are permitted to compound the offences punishable under Sections 465, 468, 471, 420 and 120-B read with Section 34 of IPC involved in crime No. 7 of 2017 of CID, AP, Amaravathi, Guntur District. Consequently, Criminal Petition No. 1578 of 2018 is allowed and the proceedings in crime No. 7 of 2017 are quashed insofar as the petitioner-accused No. 8 is concerned and the petitioner-accused No. 8 is acquitted of the offences for which she is charged.

¹ (2012) 10 SCC 303

4. Pending miscellaneous petitions, if any, shall stand closed in consequence.

12-07-2018.
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U.DURGA PRASAD RAO, J.

