

HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE U.DURGA PRASAD RAO

CRIMINAL PETITION Nos.3862 of 2018, 3880 of 2018

&

3886 of 2018.

COMMON ORDER:

Criminal Petition Nos.3862 of 2018, 3880 of 2018 and 3886 of 2018 are filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. by the petitioner/accused, who is one and the same accused in all the three petitions, seeking to quash the proceedings against him in Cr.Nos.47 of 2018, 46 of 2018 and 45 of 2018 of RIMS U/G Police Station, Kadapa, Kadapa District registered for the offences under Section 420 I.P.C.

It is informed that investigation is in the initial stage.

This court is not inclined to quash the proceedings and hence, the Investigating Officer must proceed to its logical conclusion. However, the Investigating Officer during the course of investigation shall follow the guidelines of the apex court rendered in *ARNESH KUMAR Vs. STATE OF BIHAR* (¹) and also follow the provision under Section 41-A Cr.P.C. towards the petitioner. In turn, the petitioner shall cooperate with the investigating agency for smooth completion of investigation.

Accordingly, this Criminal Petition is disposed of.

As a sequel, miscellaneous applications pending if any, shall stand closed.

JUSTICE U.DURGA PRASAD RAO

Dated 9th April, 2018.

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¹ 2014 (3) ACR 2670 (SC)

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