

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE M.SATYANARAYANA MURTHY

CRIMINAL PETITION NO.7482 OF 2018

ORDER:

This petition is filed under Section 482 of Criminal Procedure Code (for short "Cr.P.C.") to quash the proceedings in Crime No.139 of 2018, on the file of Thulluru Police Station, Guntur District, registered for the offence punishable under Section 420 of Indian Penal Code (for short "I.P.C.").

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner/accused and learned Public Prosecutor for the State of A.P. representing the respondent-State. Perused the material on record.

3. Learned counsel for petitioner, after arguing the matter for sometime, requested this Court to direct the police concerned to follow the procedure under Section 41-A Cr.P.C.

4. Acceding to the request of the learned counsel for petitioner, without touching the merits of the matter, the Criminal Petition is disposed of directing the police concerned to follow the procedure under Section 41-A Cr.P.C. and the guidelines issued by the Apex Court in **Arnesh Kumar v. State of Bihar**¹.

Miscellaneous petitions, if any, pending in this criminal petition shall stand closed.

JUSTICE M. SATYANARAYANA MURTHY

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¹ (2014) 8 SCC 273

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