

**IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD**

WEDNESDAY, THE TENTH DAY OF JUNE
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY

: PRESENT:

THE HON'BLE JUSTICE G.SRI DEVI

CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 2347 OF 2020

Between:

1. Salla Laxma Reddy, S/o. Narayana Reddy
2. Salla Srimathi, W/o Laxma Reddy

Petitioners/Accused No. 2 and 3

AND

The State of Telangana, Rep. by Public Prosecutor, High Court at Hyderabad, through S.H.O,
P.S. CCC Naspur, Mancherla District.

Respondent

Petition under Section 438 of Cr.P.C, praying that in the circumstances stated in support of the Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to enlarge the petitioners/Accused No.2 and 3 on bail in the event of their arrest in connection with Cr. No.169/2020 of PS CCC Naspur, Mancherla District

The petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Sri P.Lakshma Reddy Advocate for the Petitioners and Addl. Public Prosecutor for the Respondent, the Court made the following.

ORDER:

This Criminal Petition, under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, is filed by the petitioners/A-2 and A-3 seeking to grant anticipatory bail in the event of their arrest in connection with Crime No.169 of 2020 of CCC Naspur Police Station, Mancherla District, which was registered for the offences punishable under Sections 420, 498-A and 354 of the Indian Penal Code.

Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners/A-2 and A-3; learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent-State and perused the record.

Learned counsel for the petitioners/A-2 and A-3 would submit that the petitioners/A-2 and A-3 never committed the alleged offence and they are falsely implicated in this case with baseless allegations. It is further submitted that the petitioners/A-2 and A-3 never harassed the *de facto* complainant for additional dowry. It is further submitted the petitioners/A-2 and A-3 are ready to furnish sufficient surety and also to comply with any of the conditions that may be imposed by this Court in the event of granting anticipatory bail. Hence, it is prayed that the petitioners/A-2 and A-3 be granted anticipatory bail.

Learned Additional Public Prosecutor opposed to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners/A-2 and A-3.

As seen from the contents of the First Information Report, except the general allegation that the present petitioners, who being the father-in-law and mother-in-law, have harassed the *de facto* complainant for additional dowry to buy Television and Refrigerator, there is nothing on record to show that as to when and how many times they have harassed the *de facto* complainant.

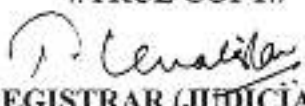
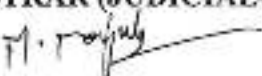
Looking into the nature of allegations and having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, without delving into the merits of the case, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners/A-2 and A-3.

The petitioners/A-2 and A-3 are granted anticipatory bail subject to the following terms and conditions:

- (1) The petitioners/A-2 and A-3 are directed to surrender before the Station House Officer, CCC Naspur Police Station, Mancherial District, within a period of four (4) weeks from the date of this order and on such surrender, the said Station House Officer shall release the petitioners/A-2 and A-3 on bail on their executing personal bond for a sum of Rs.15,000/- (Rupees fifteen thousand only) each with two sureties for a like sum each to his satisfaction.
- (2) The petitioners/A-2 and A-3 shall abide by the other conditions stipulated in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C and co-operate with the Investigating Officer in investigating the case.

SD/-JUSTICE G SRI DEVI

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The I Addl. Judicial First Class Magistrate, Mancherial, Adilabad District.
2. The Station House Officer, CCC Naspur Police Station, Mancherial District
3. One CC to Sri P Lakshma Reddy Advocate [OPUC]
4. Two CC to Public Prosecutor, High Court at Hyderabad (OUT)
5. One spare copy

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HIGH COURT

GSDJ

DATED:10/06/2020

ORDER

CRLP.No.2347 of 2020



CRLP. ALLOWED