

HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

**THURSDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF MARCH
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY THREE**

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K.SURENDER

CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 2174 OF 2023

Between:

Nannepaga Premanandam,, S/o Ratnam
age.30 years Casta SC (Madiga) occupation.
Private Employee R/o.H.NO.110-232A,
Begumpet, Hyderabad- 500016.

...Petitioner/Accused

AND

1. The State of Telangana,
Rep by Public Prosecutor,
High court of Telangana Hyderabad
2. Smt Nannepaga Chaitanya, W/o. N. Premanandam,
Age. 30 yrs. Oce. Housewife, Caste. SC (Madiga),
R/o. 1-136, Enumamula, Warangal, Telangana

...Respondent/Complainant

Petition under Section 482 of Cr.P.C praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to quash the proceedings in FIR No.34 of 2023, dated 10-02-2023, on the file of WPS Begumpet Police Station, Hyderabad.

I.A. NO: 2 OF 2023

Petition under Section 482 of Cr.P.C praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to grant stay of all further proceedings in FIR No: 34 OF 2023, dated 10-02-2023, on the file of WPS Begumpet Police Station, Hyderabad district, Telangana State.

This Petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition and upon hearing the arguments of Sri Saidam Laxminayana, Advocate for the Petitioner and the Public Prosecutor on behalf of the Respondent No.1.

The Court made the following: ORDER

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K.SURENDER**CRIMINAL PETITION No.2174 OF 2023****ORDER:**

This Criminal Petition is filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (for short 'Cr.P.C.') by the petitioner-Accused to quash the proceedings against him in FIR No.34 of 2023 pending on the file of Station House Officer, Begumpet Womens Police Station, Hyderabad, filed for the offences punishable under Sections 498-A, 506 of Indian Penal Code (for short "IPC") and Sections 4 and 6 of Dowry Prohibition Act.

2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner – Accused and learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the respondent – State. Perused the material on record.

3. The 2nd respondent – *de facto* complainant was married to accused No.1 on 18.08.2021 and at the time of marriage, certain dowry was also given. After her marriage, she joined accused No.1. Thereafter accused No.1 along with his family members harassed the 2nd respondent physically and mentally for additional dowry.

4. Since the complaint is outcome of differences between spouses, this Court deems it appropriate to direct the Investigating Officer in respect of FIR No.34 of 2023 pending on the file of Station House Officer, Begumpet Womens Police Station, Hyderabad, to conclude investigation without taking any coercive steps against the petitioner herein. Further, the petitioner-Accused shall co-operate with the Investigating Officer as and when required for the purpose of investigation.

5. Accordingly, the Criminal Petition is disposed of.

Miscellaneous applications pending, if any, shall stand closed.

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Sd/- K. AMMAJI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Station House Officer, Women's Police Station, Begumpet Police Station, Hyderabad district, Telangana State
2. One CC to Sri Saidam Laxminayana, Advocate [OPUC]
3. One CC to The Public Prosecutor, High Court for the state of Telangana at Hyderabad [OPUC]
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HIGH COURT

KS,J

DATED:02/03/2023



ORDER

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CRIMINAL PETITION IS DISPOSED OF

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