

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

**MONDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF SEPTEMBER
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FOUR**

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SMT JUSTICE JUVVADI SRIDEVI

CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 9887 OF 2024

Between:

S Santosh, S/o. S Narsimlu, Aged about 36 Years, Occ. Electrician, R/o. Balaji Nagar, Adilabad District.

... Petitioner/Accused

AND

The State of Telangana, through S.H.O., Adilabad-I Town Police Station, Adilabad District, Rep. by its Public Prosecutor, High Court, Hyderabad.

... Respondents/ Complainant

Petition under Section 482 of B.N.S.S. praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to enlarge the petitioner herein on bail in the event of his arrest in connection with F.I.R.No. 336/2024 of Adilabad-I Town Police Station, Adilabad District.

This Petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition and upon hearing the arguments of Sri Gajanand Chakravarthi, Advocate for the Petitioner and Sri M.Ramachandra Reddy, the Addl. Public Prosecutor (TG/AP) on behalf of the Respondent.

The Court made the following: ORDER

HON'BLE SMT. JUSTICE JUVVADI SRIDEVI

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ORDER :

Petitioner/accused has filed this petition under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, seeking anticipatory bail in Cr.No.336 of 2024 of P.S. Adilabad I Town, registered for the offences under Sections 137(2), 351(2), 65(2) r/w 62 BNS.

2. Heard Sri Gajanand Chakravarthy, learned counsel for petitioner and Sri M.Ramachandra Reddy, learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing, for the respondent-State and perused the record.
3. The allegation against the petitioner is that he has forcibly taken the six year old girl child to the park and misbehaved with her with an intention to assault her sexually.
4. Learned counsel for petitioner submits that the petitioner herein is innocent and he is nothing to do with the alleged offences and he has been falsely implicated in this case. He

further submits that there are some disputes between the complainant and petitioner and most of the investigation is completed hence, prayed for grant of bail.

5. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor, on the other hand, opposed the application stating that serious allegations are levelled against the petitioner/accused. He further submits that the investigation is in progress and if the petitioner is released on bail at this stage, he may tamper with the evidence and threaten the witnesses and hence, prayed to dismiss the petition.

6. Having heard both sides and perused the material on record, it is apparent that the petitioner/accused is alleged to have involved in the heinous crime of attempting to rape a six year old girl child. Considering the gravity and seriousness of the offence and keeping in view that the investigation is in progress and charge sheet is yet to be filed, this Court is of the considered opinion that it is not a case for grant of bail.

7. In view of the above, this criminal petition is dismissed, granting liberty to the petitioner/accused to surrender before the

Court concerned and file an application for regular bail, in which event, such application be decided preferably on the same day, on its own merits, in accordance with law, without being influenced by any of the observations made in this order.

Sd/- A.V.S. PRASAD
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Judicial First Class Magistrate, at Adilabad.
2. The Station House Officer, Adilabad-I (T), Adilabad District.
3. One CC to Sri. Gajanand Chakravarthi Advocate [OPUC]
4. Two CCs to Public Prosecutor, High Court for the State of Telangana. [OUT].
5. Two CD Copies.

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HIGH COURT

DATED:02/09/2024

ORDER

CRLP.No.9887 of 2024



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19/10/24.

DISMISSING OF THE CRL.P.