IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

TUESDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF JUNE TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE N.TUKARAMJI

CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 7143 OF 2025

Between:

Arepalli Srinivas, S/o. Madhunaiah, Aged-33 years, Occ. Electrician, R/o. H.No.61, Vamshi krishna Colony, New Bowenpalli, Secunderabad-500 009.

...Petitioner/Accused No.1

AND

1. Saliganti Soumya Alias Manvi, W/o. Arepalli Srinivas, D/o. Saliganti Komuraiah, Aged 30 years, Occ.- CTOT Nurse, R/o. H. No. 21-4-16, 2 Incline, Radagambala Basthi, Bellampalli, Mancherial District.

...Respondent/Defacto Complainant No.1

2. The State of Telangana, Rep.by its Public Prosecutor, High Court of For The State of Telangana At Hyderabad.

...Respondent No.2

Petition under Section 528 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 quash the CC No. 114 of 2025 pending on the file of the Judicial First Class Magistrate At Bellampalli, Mancherial District, for the offences punishable U/s 85 R/w. 3(5) BNS and Section 3 and 4 of DP Act, against the Petitioner.

I.A. NO: 2 OF 2025

Petition under Section 528 of BNSS praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to stay all further proceedings in CC No. 114 of 2025 pending on the file of the Judicial First Class Magistrate At Bellampalli, Mancherial District, for the offences punishable U/s 85 R/w. 3(5) BNS and Section 3 and 4 of DP Act, against the Petitioner.

This Petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition and upon hearing the arguments of Sri M. Atish

Kumar, Advocate for the Petitioner and the Sri Jithender Rao Veeramalla, Additional Public Prosecutor on behalf of the Respondent No.2 and none appeared for the Respondent No.1.

The Court made the following: ORDER

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE N. TUKARAMJI

CRIMINAL PETITION No.7143 of 2025

ORDER:

This petition is filed seeking quashment of the C.C.No.114 of 2025 on the file of learned Judicial First Class Magistrate at Bellampalli, Mancherial District, against the petitioner/accused No.1.

2. Heard Mr.M. Atish Kumar, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.Jithender Rao Veeramalla, learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent No.2-State.

3. The petitioner is arrayed as accused No.1 in C.C.No.114 of 2025 for the offence under Section 85 read with 3(5) of Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (for short 'BNS, 2023)and Sections 3 and 4 of Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that though the petitioner is resolved to face the proceedings, his presence before the trial Court on each adjournment is causing severe hardship and effecting his employment. Therefore, prayed for dispensing his personal presence unless it is required for the proceedings and such direction would redress his grievance.

5. Learned Additional Public Prosecutor submits that there is no specific objection for the prayer, however pleaded for a direction for in

person presence of the petitioner in the material stages of the proceedings.

6. Having regard to the submissions, subject to the petitioner's appearance through his counsel on every adjournment and the petitioner's personal appearance as and when directed by the Court, the personal presence of the petitioner in the proceedings of the C.C.No.114 of 2025 on the file of learned Judicial First Class Magistrate at Bellampalli, Mancherial District, is dispensed with. Additionally it is specified that any lapse in abiding the above conditions would render this order ineffective.

7. With this direction, this Criminal Petition is disposed of.

Miscellaneous petitions, pending if any, shall stand closed.

Sd/- T. JAYASREE
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Judicial First Class Magistrate at Bellampalli, Mancherial District.
2. The Station House Officer, Bellampalli-II Town Police Station, at Ramagundam.
3. Two CCs to the Public Prosecutor, High Court for the State of Telangana at Hyderabad [OUT]
4. One CC to Sri M.Atish Kumar, Advocate [OPUC]
5. Two CD Copies

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HIGH COURT

DATED:17/06/2025



ORDER

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THIS CRIMINAL PETITION IS DISPOSED OF

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