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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 22ND DAY OF APRIL, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.NAGAPRASANNA

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 496 OF 2023

C/W

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 9951 OF 2023

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5333 OF 2024

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5338 OF 2024

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5342 OF 2024

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5343 OF 2024

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5345 OF 2024

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5397 OF 2024

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5400 OF 2024

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5419 OF 2024

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5421 OF 2024

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 5848 OF 2024

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Location: High Court of Karnataka

IN CRL.P No. 496/2023

BETWEEN:

1. SRI AGARWAL V.K.,
   @ VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
   S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL
   AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
   R/AT FLAT NO.B-101
   ARG SOCIETY, RAILWAY STATION
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001.

2. SRI DEEP KAMAL AGARWAL
S/O SRI AGARWAL V.K., @
VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.B-101
ARG SOCIETY RAILWAY STATION
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001.

3. SRI MANJU AGARWAL
W/O SRI AGARWAL V.K., @
VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.B-101
ARG SOCIETY, RAILWAY STATION
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001.

…PETITIONERS

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR
MS.SOFIYA, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. STATE OF KARNATAKA
BY MAGADI ROAD POLICE STATION
REPRESENTED BY LEARNED
STATE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA
BENGALURU – 560 001.

2. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL
AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.J492
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT
MAGADI ROAD

BENGALURU – 560 023.

…RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI CHANNAPPA ERAPPA, HCGP FOR R-1;
SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR
SRI ASHWIN R.A., ADVOCATE FOR R-2)

THIS CRL.P FILED U/S 482 CR.PC PRAYING TO QUASH THE FIR AND COMPLAINT IN CR.NO.206/2022 REGISTERED BY 1ST RESPONDENT MAGADI ROAD P.S., FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 506, 149, 406 AND 420 OF IPC PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV A.C.M.M., BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-A).

IN CRL.P NO. 9951/2023

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL @
VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL,
AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS,
R/AT FLAT NO. B-101
ARG ROYAL ENSIGN
OLD STATION ROAD,
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001

ALSO AT:
IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
NORTH EXETENSIOIN MIA
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR
MS.SOFIYA, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL
AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS,
R/AT FLAT NO. J402
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT
MAGADI ROAD,
BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR
SRI ASHWIN R.A., ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S.482 CR.P.C PRAYING TO i. QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.5968/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.4149/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND ADDL.C.M.M., BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-A); ii. QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.5968/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR.NO.4149/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND ADDL.C.M.M., BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-B).

IN CRL.P NO. 5333/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL
@ VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL
AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.B101

ARG ROYAL ENSIGN
OLD STATION ROAD
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001.

ALSO AT:
IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
NORTH EXTENSION MIA
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR
SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL
AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
R/AT NO FLAT NO.J402
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT
MAGADI ROAD
BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR
SRI AJAY R A., ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P FILED U/S.482 CR.P.C PRAYING TO A. QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.7825/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.5603/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF NI ACT 1881 NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF THE IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSES JUDGE AND ACMM (ANNEXURE A); B. QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLIANT IN C.C.NO.7825/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.5603/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF NI ACT 1881 NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF THE IV ADDITIONAL SMALL

CAUSES JUDGE AND ACMM BENGALURU (ANNEXURE B).

IN CRL.P NO. 5338/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL
   @ VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
   S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL
   AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
   R/AT FLAT NO.B-101
   ARG ROYAL ENSIGN
   OLD STATION ROAD
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001

   ALSO AT:
   IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
   NORTH EXTENSION MIA
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR
SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
   S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL
   AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
   R/AT FLAT NO.J402
   ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT
   MAGADI ROAD
   BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR
SRI AJAY R.A, ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S.482 CR.P.C PRAYING TO 1.QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.6744/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.4686/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF N.I ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF THE IV ADDL.SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND A.C.M.M BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-A); 2.QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.6744/2023, ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.4686/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF N.I ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDL.SMALL JUDGE AND A.C.M.M BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-B).

IN CRL.P NO. 5342/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL @
   VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
   S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL,
   AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
   R/AT FLAT NO B-101,
   ARG ROYAL ENSIGN,
   OLD STATION ROAD
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001

   ALSO AT:
   IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
   NORTH EXTENSION MIA
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
   S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL,

AGED ABOUT 35 YEAR
R/AT FLAT NO.J402,
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT,
MAGADI ROAD
BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI AJAY R.A, ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S.482 CR.P.C PRAYING TO 1.QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.6746/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.4687/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF N.I ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF THE IV ADDL.SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND A.C.M.M BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-A); 2.QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.6746/2023, ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.4687/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF N.I ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDL.SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND A.C.M.M BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-B)

IN CRL.P NO. 5343/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K. AGARWAL @
VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL,
AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.B-101,
ARG ROYAL ENSIGN,
OLD STATION ROAD
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001

ALSO AT:
IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
NORTH EXTENSION MIA

ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL,
AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.J402,
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT,
MAGADI ROAD
BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI AJAY R.A., ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S 482 CR.PC PRAYING TO 1) QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.6444/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.4150/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF N.I. ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDL. SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND ADDL. CMM, BANGALORE (ANNEXURE-A); 2) QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.6444/2023, ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.4150/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF N.I. ACT, 1881 NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDL. SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND ADDL. CMM, BANGALORE (ANNEXURE-B).

IN CRL.P NO. 5345/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL

@ VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL
AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.B-101
ARG ROYAL ENSIGN
OLD STATION ROAD
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001

ALSO AT:
IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
NORTH EXTENSION MIA
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL
AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.J402
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT
MAGADI ROAD
BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI AJAY R.A., ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S 482 CR.PC PRAYING TO 1) QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.6825/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.5209/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF N.I. ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDL. SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND ADDL. CMM,

BANGALORE (ANNEXURE-A); 2) QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.6825/2023, ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.5209/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF N.I. ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDL. SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND ADDL. CMM, BANGALORE (ANNEXURE-B).

IN CRL.P NO. 5397/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL
   @ VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
   S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL
   AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
   R/AT FLAT NO.B-101
   ARG ROYAL ENSIGN
   OLD STATION ROAD
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001

   ALSO AT:
   IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
   NORTH EXTENSION MIA
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
   S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL
   AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
   R/AT FLAT NO.J402
   ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT
   MAGADI ROAD

BENGALURU – 560 023

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI AJAY R.A., ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S.482 CR.P.C PRAYING TO i) QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.6447/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR.NO.4153/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES PUNISHABLE UNDER SECTION 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND ADDITIONAL CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE, BANGALORE (ANNEXURE-A); ii) QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.6447/2023, ARISING OUT OF PCR.NO.4153/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES PUNISHABLE UNDER SECTION 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND ADDITIONAL CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE, BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-B).

IN CRL.P NO. 5400/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL @
   VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
   S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL,
   AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
   R/AT FLAT NO B-101,
   ARG ROYAL ENSIGN,
   OLD STATION ROAD
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN - 301 001

   ALSO AT:
   IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
   NORTH EXTENSION MIA

ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMARL KALAL
S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL,
AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.J402,
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT,
MAGADI ROAD, BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI AJAY R.A., ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P FILED U/S.482 CR.P.C PRAYING TO i. QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.6745/2023, ARISING OUT OF PCR.NO.4688/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSES JUDGE AND A.C.M.M., BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-A); ii. QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.6745/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR.NO.4688/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND A.C.M.M., BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-B).

IN CRL.P NO. 5419/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL @
VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL

S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL,
AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO B-101,
ARG ROYAL ENSIGN,
OLD STATION ROAD
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001

ALSO AT:
IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
NORTH EXTENSION MIA
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL,
AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.J402,
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT,
MAGADI ROAD
BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI AJAY R.A., ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S.482 CR.P.C PRAYING PLEASED TO i. QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.6747/2023, ARISING OUT OF PCR.NO.4689/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES PUNISHABLE UNDER SECTION 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND

ADDITIONAL CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE, BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-A); ii. QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.6747/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR.NO.4689/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES PUNISHABLE UNDER SECTION 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND ADDITIONAL CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE., BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-B).

IN CRL.P NO. 5421/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL @
   VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
   S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL,
   AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
   R/AT FLAT NO B-101,
   ARG ROYAL ENSIGN,
   OLD STATION ROAD
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001

   ALSO AT:
   IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION
   NORTH EXTENSION MIA
   ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
   S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL,
   AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS

R/AT FLAT NO.J402,
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT,
MAGADI ROAD
BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI AJAY R.A., ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S.482 CR.P.C PRAYING TO i. QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.6446/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR.NO.4152/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND A.C.M.M., BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-A); ii. QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.6446/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR.NO.4152/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSES JUDGE AND A.C.M.M., BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-B).

IN CRL.P NO. 5848/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI V.K.AGARWAL @
VISHNU KUMAR AGARWAL
S/O TAJENDRA KUMAR AGARWAL
AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
R/AT FLAT NO.B-101
ARG ROYAL ENSIGN
OLD STATION ROAD
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 001.

ALSO AT:
IET GROUP OF INSTITUTION

NORTH EXTENSION MIA
ALWAR, RAJASTHAN – 301 030.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI P.P.HEGDE, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI SYED MANSOOR AHMED, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. SRI DEVENDRA KUMAR KALAL
S/O NARAYAN LAL KALAL
AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
R/AT NO.FLAT NO.J402
ETA STAR GARDEN APARTMENT
MAGADI ROAD
BENGALURU – 560 023.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAYAKUMAR S.PATIL, SR.COUNSEL FOR

SRI AJAY R.A., ADVOCATE)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S.482 CR.PC. PRAYING PLEASED TO 1.QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.6445/2023, ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.4151/2023 FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 138 OF N.I ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDL.SMALL CAUSES JUDGE AND A.C.M.M BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-A); 2.QUASH THE PRIVATE COMPLAINT IN C.C.NO.6445/2023 ARISING OUT OF PCR NO.4151/2023 FOR THE OFFENCE P/U/S 138 OF N.I ACT, 1881, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF IV ADDL.SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AND A.C.M.M BENGALURU (ANNEXURE-B).

THESE PETITIONS, COMING ON FOR ADMISSION, THIS DAY, ORDER WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: **HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.NAGAPRASANNA**

ORAL ORDER

CRL.P.No.496 of 2023:

Heard the learned senior counsel Sri P. P. Hegde, appearing for the petitioner and the learned senior counsel Sri Jayakumar S. Patil representing the respondent-complainant.

2. The learned senior counsel Sri P. P. Hegde, after arguing the matter at length, would seek leave of this Court to permit him to withdraw the petition and approach this Court if the final report is filed and the final report would go against him.

3. The learned senior counsel would further submit that there is an interim order operating in the case at hand and in the event of the aforesaid order, the likelihood of the petitioner being taken into custody would loom large.

4. In that light, I deem it appropriate to extend the interim order for a period of 4 weeks, to enable the petitioner to file an application before the concerned Court and the concerned Court to pass necessary orders for grant of bail or otherwise.

5. For the aforesaid reasons, the following:

ORDER

(i) Criminal Petition is disposed reserving liberty to the petitioner to approach this Court in the event a final report is filed and the final report would go against him.

(ii) The interim order if any subsisting as on today shall stand extended for a period of 4 weeks, only for the purpose of enabling the petitioner to apply for grant of anticipatory bail.

(iii) In the event the petitioner would not avail of the remedy of filing an application seeking anticipatory

bail, the interim order that is extended for a period of 4 weeks would stand automatically vacated.

(iv) All contentions remain open to be considered before the appropriate forum at the appropriate time.

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6. The learned senior counsel Sri P.P.Hegde appearing for the petitioner in all these cases, after arguing the matters for some time, seeks leave of this Court to withdraw the petitions. The learned senior counsel submits that all contentions be left open to be urged before the concerned Court at the appropriate time.

7. In the light of said submission, the petitions stand disposed, reserving liberty to the petitioner to urge all the

contentions before the concerned Court at the appropriate time.

Interim order, if any operating, shall stand dissolved.

Sd/-
(M.NAGAPRASANNA)
JUDGE

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