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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 9TH DAY OF APRIL, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.NAGAPRASANNA

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 11351 OF 2024

C/W

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 1795 OF 2024

IN CRL.P No. 11351/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SHANKAR
   S/O LATE RAMACHANDRAPPA
   AGED ABOUT 44 YEARS
   R/O THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
   MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
   KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 139.

2. ASHOK
   S/O GANESH PERUMAL
   AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS
   R/O THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
   MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
   KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 139.

3. VISHWAS @ VISHAL
   S/O LATE RAMESHAPPA
   AGED ABOUT 22 YEARS
   R/O THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
   MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
   KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 139.

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4. KUMAR G.,
S/O GANESH PERUMAL
AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS
R/O THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 139.

5. VENKATESH
S/O GANESH PERUMAL
AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS
R/O THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 139.

6. SHARADA
W/O SHANKAR
AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS
R/O THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 139.

7. KAVITHA
W/O KUMAR
AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS
R/O THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 139.

8. PAPAMMA
W/O GANESH PERUMAL
AGED ABOUT 51 YEARS
R/O THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 139.

…PETITIONERS

(BY SRI BASAVARAJU T.A., ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. STATE OF KARNATAKA BY
MASTHI POLICE STATION
KOLAR DISTRICT
REPRESENTED BY
STATE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
STATE PUBLIC PROSECUTORS OFFICE
HIGH COURT BUILDING
HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA
AMBEDKAR VEEDI
AT BENGALURU – PIN – 560 001.

2. PRASANNA
S/O HANUMANTHAPPA
AGED ABOUT 24 YEARS
R/O THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 139.

…RESPONDENTS

(BY SMT.SOWMYA R., HCGP FOR R-1)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S 482 CR.PC (FILED U/S 528 BNSS) PRAYING TO QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.340/2023 ARISING OUT OF CRIME NO.8/2023 OF MASTHI POLICE STATION, KOLAR DISTRICT FOR AN OFFENCE U/S 143, 147, 148, 323, 324, 307, 504, 506 R/W 149 OF IPC, WHICH IS PENDING BEFORE THE HON'BLE 1ST ADDL. CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC, MALUR, KOLAR DISTRICT AND NOW CASE IS PENDING AT 1ST ADDL. DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT KOLAR IN S.C.NO.151/2025.

IN CRL.P NO. 1795/2024

BETWEEN:

1. SRI PRASANNA,
   S/O LATE HANUMANTAPPA
   AGED ABOUT 24 YEARS

2. SRI NAVEEN KUMAR
   S/O BALASUNDAR
   AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS

3. TYAGARAJA
   S/O LATE KRISHNAPPA
   AGED ABOUT 46 YEARS

4. SRI SRINIVASA
   S/O ASWATHAPPA

5. SRI PRAKASH
   S/O KRISHNAPPA
   AGED ABOUT 58 YEARS

6. SRI BHEEMANNA
   S/O LATE KRISHNAPPA
   AGED ABOUT 49 YEARS

7. SRI CHANDRASHEKAR
   S/O BALASUNDARA
   AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS

   ALL ARE RESIDENTS OF
   THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
   THORALAKKI POST
   MASTHI HOBLI, MALUR TALUK
   KOLAR DISTRICT.

...PETITIONERS

(BY SRI DHANANJAY KUMAR, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. STATE OF KARNATAKA
   SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE
   MASTHI POLICE STATION
   REPRESENTED BY SPP
   HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA
   BENGALURU – 560 001.

2. SMT. PAPAMMA
   W/O GANESH PERUMAL
   AGED ABOUT 50 YEARS
   R/AT THIPPASANDRA VILLAGE
   MASTHI HOBLI,
   MALUR TALUK – 586 542.

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SMT.SOWMYA R., HCGP FOR R-1;

R-2 SERVED AND UNREPRESENTED)

THIS CRL.P FILED U/S 482 OF CR.P.C., PRAYING TO QUASH THE ENTIRE PROCEEDINGS IN C.C.NO.365/2023 IN CR.NO.9/2023 REGISTERED BY MASTHI P.S. PENDING ON THE FILE OF THE I ADDL. CIVIL JUDGE AND J.M.F.C AT MALUR OFFENCES P/U/S 143, 147, 148, 323, 324, 307, 427, 504, 506 R/W 149 OF IPC.

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.1795 of 2024:

The petitioners, in this petition, are before this Court calling in question the proceedings in C.C.No.365 of 2023 pending on the file of I Additional Civil Judge and JMFC, Malur.

The learned counsel Sri Dhananjay Kumar, appearing for the petitioners would submit that charges have been framed and trial has commenced. The offences alleged is the one punishable under Section 307 of the IPC *inter alia*. A perusal at the summary of the charge sheet or the wound certificate that is appended to the petition would not entail interference at the hands of this Court, particularly when the trial is on.

Crl.P.No.11351 of 2024:

The petitioners, in this petition, are before this Court calling in question the proceedings in C.C.No.340 of 2023 pending on the file of I Additional Civil Judge and JMFC, Malur.

This is a counter case that is registered against these petitioners for the same incident that happens, which is the fulcrum of the companion petition. The summary of the charge sheet or the wound certificate appended to the petition would clearly indicate that this is also a case which would clearly require a trial before the concerned Court.

The learned counsel submits that petitioners have also preferred an application seeking their discharge from the array of accused. In that light, there is no warrant of interference at the hands of this Court at this juncture.

The petitions stand disposed, reserving liberty to the petitioners to urge all their contentions before the concerned Court at the relevant point in time.

Sd/-
(M.NAGAPRASANNA)
JUDGE

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