IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE B.R.MADHUSUDHAN RAO

CRIMINAL PETITION No.17512 of 2026

(CNR.No. HBHC010732982026)

DATE: 30.10.2026

BETWEEN:

Palnati Narsimha Goud.

.....Petitioner-Accused

And

The State of Telangana,
Rep. by its Public Prosecutor,
High Court of Telangana, Hyderabad,
Through Proh. & Excise Police Station, Andole.

.....Respondent

ORDER

1. This Criminal Petition is filed under Sections 480 and 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (for short 'BNSS') praying this Court to enlarge the petitioner on bail who is arrayed as accused in connection with COR.No.104 of 2026 of Prohibition and Excise Police Station, Andole, for the alleged offence under Section 8(c) read with 22(b) of the NDPS Act, 1985.

2. Heard Sri Akkam Eshwar, learned counsel for the petitioner-accused and Sri D. Arun Kumar, learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the respondent–State.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that Police has not followed the mandatory provisions in conducting panchanama and seizure as contemplated under NDPS Act. Petitioner-accused is not involved in any case and he was arrested erroneously while walking without any material. The alleged seizure of 81 grams of Alprazolam from the custody of the petitioner-accused is not true and he is falsely implicated in the case. Petitioner-accused is arrested and remanded to judicial custody on 30.09.2026, since then he is in jail. Entire investigation is completed and prayed to enlarge the petitioner-accused on bail.

4. Learned Additional Pubic Prosecutor submits that the role played by the petitioner-accused is clearly depicted in the remand case diary.

5. SHO, Andole team has conducted joint raid along with AC enforcement Medak team infront of Sri Venkateshwar Gardens, Annasagar village, while in the raid detected one illegal possession of Alphrazolam case and arrested the accused, seized 81 grams. Basing on which, COR came to be registered.

6. Petitioner-accused is arrested on 30.09.2026, since then he is in jail.

7. The contraband which is seized from the possession of the petitioner-accused falls in intermediate quantity and he is in jail since 30.09.2026.

8. Record goes to show that major portion of the investigation is completed, detaining the petitioner-accused further in judicial custody will not serve the purpose. Hence, the petitioner-accused is entitled to be enlarged on bail, subject to the following conditions:

i. The petitioner-accused shall execute a personal bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only), with two sureties for a like sum each to the satisfaction of the Judicial First Class Magistrate, Andole at Jogipet.

ii. The petitioner-accused shall appear before the concerned SHO between 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., on every Sunday for a period of eight (8) weeks or till filing of charge sheet whichever is earlier, for the purpose of investigation, and thereafter, as and when required.

iii. The petitioner-accused shall abide by the conditions stipulated in Section 437(3) of Cr.P.C.(presently, Section 480(3) of the BNSS).

iv. The petitioner-accused shall not directly or indirectly influence, threaten, or induce any of the prosecution witnesses.

v. It is made clear that if any of the above conditions are violated, the prosecution is at liberty to file an application for cancellation of the bail.

9. Accordingly, the Criminal petition is allowed.

Miscellaneous applications, if any pending, shall stand closed.

B.R.MADHUSUDHAN RAO, J

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