IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

THE HON'BLE JUSTICE B.R.MADHUSUDHAN RAO

CRIMINAL PETITION No.17637 of 2026

(C.N.R No. HBHC010737832026)

DATED: 02.11.2026

Between:
Biradar Abhay. ... Petitioner – A2

And

The State of Telangana
Rep. by its Public Prosecutor,
High Court for the State of Telangana,
Hyderabad. ... Respondent-State

O R D E R

1. This Criminal Petition is filed under Sections 480 and 483 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (BNSS) praying this Court to enlarge the petitioner-accused No.2 on bail in connection with C.O.R No.119 of 2026 of Prohibition and Excise Station, Sangareddy. The offence alleged against the petitioner-accused No.2 is punishable under Section 8 (c) read with 20 (b) & (c) of the NDPS Act, 1985.

2. Heard Sri Subba Rao Vadrevu, learned counsel for petitioner-accused No.2 and Sri D. Arun Kumar, learned Additional Public Prosecutor for respondent - State.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that even as per the prosecution, the MDMA of 2.32 grams falls under intermediate

quantity. The alleged 0.46 grams of LSD is the gross weight of 25 paper blots, and the nature and net quantity of the substance, if any, can be ascertained only after receipt of FSL report. Accused No.1 who is driver of the car is enlarged on bail by this Court on 13.10.2026 vide Crl.P.No.15773 of 2026. Bail applications filed by the petitioner – accused No.2 before the learned District and Sessions Judge came to be dismissed vide orders dated 08.09.2026 and 08.10.2026 in Crl.M.P.No.797 of 2026 and Crl.M.P.No.911 of 2026 respectively. The petitioner – A2 is in judicial custody since 20.08.2026. Petitioner – A2 is entitled for parity of the bail order of accused No.1 and prayed to enlarge the petitioner – Accused No.2 on bail.

4. Learned Additional Public Prosecutor submits the role played by the petitioner – accused No.2 is clearly depicted in the remand case diary.

5. Prohibition and Excise SI, SHO Sangareddy along with his staff conducted route watch at Kamkole Toll Plaza on 20.08.2026 at 6:15 a.m. on NH No.65, the road leading from Zaheerabad to Sangareddy and they detected 2.32 grams of MDMA and 0.46 grams of LSD in two different transparent zip covers placed in a black colour wallet in the dash board of KIA Seltos car bearing No.TS 08 JS 9957 driven by A1-Chenna Mahesh Kumar, another accused by name B. Abhay-A2 who is sitting beside the driver seat.

A3-D. Santosh was sitting in the back seat, apprehended them and seized MDMA and LSD substances under cover of panchanama.

6. Petitioner-accused No.2 along with A1 and A3 were arrested on 20.08.2026 and remanded to the judicial custody on the above said date, since then the petitioner-accused No.2 is in jail.

7. The contraband which is seized from A1 to A3 is 2.32 grams of MDMA which falls under intermediate quantity and 0.46 grams of LSD falls under commercial quantity. Since inventory is completed on 05.09.2026 and FSL report is awaited for filing charge sheet.

8. Accused No.1 – Chenna Mahesh Kumar is enlarged on bail by this Court vide Crl.P.No.15773 of 2026 dated 13.10.2026. Bail order granted to accused No.1 can be extended to petitioner-accused No.2 as A1 to A3 were arrested on the same day i.e., on 20.08.2026.

9. Hence, the petitioner – accused No.2 is entitled to be enlarged on bail subject to following conditions:

i. The petitioner-A2 shall execute a personal bond for a sum of Rs.15,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Thousand only), with two sureties for a like sum each to the satisfaction of the learned I Additional District and Sessions Judge, at Sangareddy.

ii. The petitioner-A2 shall appear before the concerned SHO between 10 a.m. and 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-A2 shall abide by the conditions stipulated in Section 437(3) of Cr.P.C. (presently, Section 480(3) of the BNSS).

iv. The petitioner-A2 shall not involve in similar offence.

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

10. Accordingly, the Criminal petition is allowed.

Miscellaneous applications, if any pending, shall stand closed.

B.R.MADHUSUDHAN RAO, J

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