IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

FRIDAY, THE THIRTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE J SREENIVAS RAO

CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 18898 OF 2026

Between:

1. Vemula Ramana, W/o Venkatraju, Aged about 49 years, Occ. House wife, Residing at H-3, 518, Balaji Township, Ultratech Cements Limited, Budawada (v), Jaggaiahpet (M), Krishna District, A.P.
2. Vemula Venkatraju, S/o Thimmaiah, Aged about 54 years, Occ. Driver/Senior operator (Dumper at Jaypee Balaji Cement Plant, Jaggaiahpet, Residing at H-3, 518, Balaji Township, Ultratech Cements Limited, Budawada (v), Jaggaiahpet (M), Krishna District, A.P.
3. Vemula Srilaxmi, D/o V. Venkatraju, Aged about 31 years, Occ. Private Teacher Aditya Birla Public School, Balaji Township, Residing at H-3, 518, Balaji Township, Ultratech Cements Limited, Budawada (v), Jaggaiahpet (M), Krishna District, A.P.
4. Vemula Naga Renuka, D/o V. Venkatraju, Aged about 27 years, Occ. Software Employee, TATA Consultancy Service at Hyderabad, Residing at Sri Sai Brundavan Residency, Block-A, Street No.2, Patrika Nagar, Madapur, Hyderabad.

...Petitioners/Respondent Nos.2, 3, 4 & 5 in DVC

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Through Women Police Station-I Warangal, District: Warangal, Rep. by Public Prosecutor, High Court of Telangana at Hyderabad.
2. Vallepu @ Vemula Vandana, W/o Vemula Saida Rao, Aged about 23 years, Occ. House wife, R/o H.No. 30-2-38/1, Rottebanda, Near Madikonda, Hanmakonda, District: Hanmakonda-506142.
3. Vemula Viraj, S/o Vemula Saidarao, Aged 4 years, student, Minor under The guardianship of Vemula Vandana, The respondent No.2 herein.

...Respondents/Petitioners in DVC

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 D.V.C.No.36 of 2026 on the file of the I Additional Magistrate of First Class, Hanumakonda, against the petitioners No.1 to 4 herein, in the interest of justice.

I.A. NO: 2 OF 2026

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 stay of all further proceedings in D.V.C.No.36 of 2026 on the file of the I Additional Magistrate of First Class, Hanumakonda against the petitioners No.1 to 4 herein, pending disposal of main Crl.P. in the interest of justice.

This Petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition and upon hearing the arguments of Sri S Chandrasekhar, Advocate for the Petitioners and Sri Jithender Rao Veeramalla, learned Additional Public Prosecutor on behalf of the Respondent No.1, (None appeared for the Respondent No. 2).

The Court made the following ORDER:

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE J.SREENIVAS RAO

CRIMINAL PETITION No.18898 of 2026

CNR.No. HBHC010774552026

Date: 13.11.2026

Between:
Vemula Ramana and 3 others

...Petitioners

AND

The State of Telangana and two others

...Respondents

ORDER

This Criminal Petition is filed by the petitioners/ respondent Nos.2 to 5 seeking to quash the proceedings in D.V.C.No.36 of 2026 on the file of the learned I Additional Magistrate of First Class, Hanumakonda.

2. Heard Mr.S.Chandrashekhar, learned counsel for the petitioners and Mr.Jithender Rao Veeramalla, learned Additional Public Prosecutor for respondent No.1.

3. Though the criminal petition was filed seeking to quash the proceedings in D.V.C.No.36 of 2026, when this Court

expressed a view that the grounds which are raised by the petitioners are disputed facts and the same have to be decided by the trial Court after full-fledged trial. At this stage, the learned counsel for the petitioners, requested this Court to dispense with the appearance of the petitioners/respondent Nos.2 to 5 in D.V.C.No.36 of 2026 on the file of the learned I Additional Magistrate of First Class, Hanumakonda, on the ground that the matter before the trial Court has not yet ripened for the trial and the petitioners want to face the prosecution to prove their innocence.

4. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor has not opposed the submissions made by the learned counsel for petitioners.

5. In view of the above submissions, the presence of the petitioners/respondent Nos.2 to 5 in D.V.C.No.36 of 2026 on the file of the learned I Additional Magistrate of First Class, Hanumakonda, is dispensed with, subject to the condition that they shall be represented through their counsel on each and every date of hearing. If the presence of the petitioners is required, they shall appear before the trial Court. In case of their non-

appearance on the specific date fixed by the trial Court for their appearance, the trial Court is entitled to proceed with the matter, in accordance with law.

6. Accordingly, the criminal petition is disposed of.

Pending miscellaneous applications, if any, shall stand closed.

SD/- L. USHA RANI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

//TRUE COPY//

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The I Additional Magistrate of First Class, Hanumakonda.
2. The Principal Junior Civil Judge-cum- Principal Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Hanmakonda.
3. The Station House Officer, Warangal WPS, Warangal District.
4. Two CCs to the Public Prosecutor, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad [OUT]
5. One CC to Sri S Chandrashekhar, Advocate [OPUC]
6. Two CD Copies

GNK/BA

HIGH COURT

DATED: 13/11/2026

ORDER

CRLP.No.18898 of 2026



DISPOSING OF THE CRIMINAL PETITION

9 MT
23/11/26