

## **BEFORE LOK-ADALATH HELD ON 14.03.2026 AT HUNSUR**

The Case is called out before Lok-Adalath.

Appellant, respondent and also their respective counsels present.

Conciliation took place.

Parties are agreed to compromise the case as per the advise of conciliators.

Respondent and Advocate for Appellant filed Joint compromise petition stating that, appellant paid entire settlement amount of Rs.1,15,000/- to the respondent, the respondent accepted the same and agreed to compromise the case.

Heard on the Joint compromise petition.

The entire claim of complainant with respect of cheque is settled and amount paid by accused to the Respondent/complainant.

The Compromise as arrived by both the parties is in the best interest of both parties.

The Appellant who is accused before the trial court being aggrieved by the judgment of conviction and order of sentence dated 04.10.2025 passed against him in C.C.No.568/2020 on the file of Addl.Sr.Civil Judge and JMFC, Hunsur preferred this Criminal Appeal U/S 374 of Cr.P.C. in which he has challenged legality and correctness of the impugned judgment.

Therefore, compromise petition is to be accepted and this appeal is to be disposed of in terms of compromise by setting-aside the impugned judgment of conviction and order of sentence passed against Accused/Appellant.

Hence, the following :

## ORDER

The Compromise petition filed by parties is accepted and same is allowed.

Accordingly, this appeal is disposed off in terms of compromise.

Consequently, the judgment of conviction and order of sentence passed against the Accused/ Appellant in CC 568/2020 on the file of Addl.Sr.Civil Judge and JMFC, Hunsur is set aside.

Accordingly, the Accused/ Appellant is acquitted of the offence punishable U/S 138 of NI Act.

The trial court is directed to release deposited amount in favour of respondent by obtaining necessary acknowledgment on proper identification.

Office is directed to send the certified copy of this order to the trial court, for needful action, forthwith.

This file be closed and consigned to record room.

Sd/-

Non-Judicial Conciliator

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Judicial Conciliator