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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
AT AMARAVATI  
(Special Original Jurisdiction)**

[3504]

THURSDAY, THE 23<sup>rd</sup> DAY OF JULY 2026

**PRESENT**

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE MAHESWARA RAO KUNCHEAM**

**CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 1431/2026**

**Between:**

1. JUPUDI SURESH BABU, S/O VENKATESWARA RAO, AGED ABOUT 64 YEARS, R/O D.NO.7-18-2, ICICI BANK STREET, RAJAMAHENDRAVARAM, EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT

**...PETITIONER/ACCUSED**

**AND**

1. THE STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH, REP. BY ITS PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH, AMARAVATI.

2. P SURYA PRAKASA RAO, S/O APPARAO, R/O SANTHA MARKET VEEDHI, KOTHAPALLI VILLAGE, GOKAVARAM MANDAL, EAST GODAVARI DISTRICT

**...RESPONDENT/COMPLAINANT(S):**

Petition under Section 437/438/439/482 of Cr.P.C and 528 of BNSS praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to quash the impugned docket order dated 22.01.2025 passed in CrI.MP. 127/2025 in C.C. No. 172 of 2017 by Learned III Addl. Junior Civil Judge - cum - III Addl. Judicial First Class Magistrate court, Rajamahendravaram and consequently direct the learned trial Court to reopen the defence evidence of DW-1 and DW-2, afford a reasonable and time-bound opportunity to the petitioner to examine DW-1 (himself) in chief, permit cross-examination by the 2nd respondent/complainant, examination of DW-2, subject to such conditions as

this Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper in the interest of justice. and allow

**IA NO: 1 OF 2026**

Petition under Section 482 of Cr.P.C and 528 of BNSS praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the filing of certified copy of docket order dated 22.01.2025 passed in CrI.MP. 127/2025 in C.C. No. 172 of 2017 by Learned Ill Addl. Junior Civil Judge - cum - Ill Addl. Judicial First Class Magistrate court, Rajamahendravaram and receive the main Criminal Petition on file in the interests of justice and to pass

**IA NO: 2 OF 2026**

Petition under Section 482 of Cr.P.C and 528 of BNSS praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to grant stay of all further proceedings including appearance of the petitioner in C.C. No. 172 of 2017 on the file of the Court of Learned Ill Addl. Junior Civil Judge - cum - Ill Addl. Judicial First Class Magistrate, Rajamahendravaram, pending disposal of the main Criminal Petition and pass

**Counsel for the Petitioner/accused:**

1. KATTA SUDHAKAR

**Counsel for the Respondent/complainant(S):**

1. SAMBHU PRASAD PEDIREDDI

2. PUBLIC PROSECUTOR

**The Court made the following:**

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE MAHESWARA RAO KUNCHEAM****CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 1431 of 2026****ORDER:-**

The present Criminal Petition has been filed seeking to quash the impugned docket order dated 22.01.2025 passed in CrI.M.P.No.127 of 2025 in C.C.No.172 of 2017 by the learned III Additional Junior Civil Judge-cum-III Additional Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Rajamahendravaram and consequently direct the learned Trial Court to recall Dw.1 for the purpose of examination-in-chief, if required, and for cross-examination by the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent/complainant.

2. When the matter is taken up for hearing, Sri Katta Sudhakar, learned counsel for the petitioner, submits that in view of the subsequent events taken place in the lis, the cause in the criminal petition does not survive for further adjudication. Accordingly, he submits that the matter has become infructuous.

3. Recording the above said submissions, the Criminal Petition is dismissed as infructuous.

As a sequel, all pending applications shall stand closed.

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**JUSTICE MAHESWARA RAO KUNCHEAM**

Date: 23.07.2026

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