

HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI

MAIN CASE No.: Cr1.A.No.285 of 2025

PROCEEDING SHEET

Sl. No	DATE	ORDER	
1.	06.05.2025	<u>Dr.VJP,J</u> <u>I.A.No.1 of 2025</u> Heard Sri T.V.V.Koteswara Rao, learned counsel for the appellant. Learned Assistant Public Prosecutor takes notice on behalf of the State. Considering the submissions and in the interest of justice, this petition is allowed. delay is condoned. <u>I.A.No.2 of 2025</u> The instant petition has been filed by the petitioner / A5 to release him on bail by suspending the execution of sentence of imprisonment imposed against the petitioner in Special Sessions Case No.20 of 2022 dated 22.01.2025 on the file of I Additional Sessions Judge-cum- Special Judge For Trial of NDPS Act Cases, Krishna District, Machilipatnam, wherein the petitioner along with other accused were convicted for the offence punishable under Section 8(c) r/w 20(b)(ii)(B) of the N.D.P.S. Act and the petitioner was sentenced to	

	undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of three (3) years and to pay fine of Rs.10,000/-, in default of payment of fine, he shall undergo simple imprisonment for a period of six months. 2. Heard Sri T.V.V. Koteswara Rao, learned counsel for the petitioner. 3. Ms. K.Priyanka Lakshmi, learned Assistant Public Prosecutor takes notice on behalf of the State/Respondent. 4. Learned counsel for the petitioner/ A5 would submit that the petitioner has good grounds to succeed in the appeal. It is a case of seizure of non-commercial quantity of Ganja from the possession of the Petitioner/Appellant/Accused. Learned counsel would further submit that this appeal may take considerable time and prays to allow the petition by suspending the sentence of imprisonment imposed by the learned trial Court against the petitioner. 5. Learned Assistant Public Prosecutor would submit that the Court may pass appropriate orders. 6. Considering the submissions made, the present appeal may take considerable time for disposal, it is apposite to release the petitioner on bail. 7. In that view, the petition is allowed, suspending the sentence of imprisonment imposed	
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		against the petitioner on the following conditions: i) The petitioner shall execute a personal bond of Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty thousand only) with two sureties for a like sum each to the satisfaction of the Additional Judicial First Class Magistrate, Gudiwada. ii) The petitioner shall appear before the Trial Court once in a month i.e., on the 1st Monday till the disposal of this appeal. <u>Crl.A.No.285 OF 2025</u> Admit. List the matter in the usual course. <u>Dr.VJP, J</u> <u>Note: Issue CC today</u> (B/o) ARR	
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