

**(SHOW CAUSE NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION)
IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
TUESDAY, THE TWENTY EIGHTH DAY OF APRIL
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**



:PRESENT:

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE SUBHENDU SAMANTA
CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 3475 OF 2026**

Between:

1. Gorantla Madhavi, W/o. Gorantla Srinivasa rao, aged 35 years, R/o. Jangalapalli village, Nadendla Mandal, Palnadu District, (A1).
2. Jammula Koteswaramma, W/o. Venkata Rao, aged 56 Years R/o. Rajupalem village, Rajupalem Mandal, Palnadu District, (A2).
3. Jummula Tilak, S/o. Venkata Rao, aged 28 yrs, R/o. Rajupalem village, Rajupalem Mandal, Palnadu District, (A3).
4. Jummula Dhanunjaya, S/o. Venkata Rao, aged 30 yrs, R/o. Rajupalem village, Rajupalem Mandal, Palnadu District, (A4).
5. Thota Srinivasa rao, S/o. Subbaiah, aged 51 yrs, R/o. Madala village, Muppalla Mandal, Palnadu District, (A5).
6. Tellajarla Ramaiah, S/o. Not Known, aged 55 yrs, R/o. Madala village, Muppalla Mandal, Palnadu District, (A6).
7. Tellajarla Mangamma, W/o. Ramaiah, aged 52 yrs, R/o. Madala village, Muppalla Mandal, Palnadu District, (A7).
8. Jammula Sri lakshmi, W/o. Tilak, aged 26 yrs, R/o. Rajupalem village, Rajupalem Mandal, Palnadu District, (A8).

Petitioner/Accused

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, rep by its PP., High Court of AP., Nelapadu, Amaravathi, Guntur District.
2. Gorantla Srinivasa rao, S/o. Balakotaiah, aged 39 years, R/o. Jangalapalli village, Nadendla Mandal, Palnadu District,

Respondents/Defacto Complainant

WHEREAS the Petitioner/Accused above named through their Advocate Sri SESHAGIRI RAO ULLAM presented this Petition under Section 528 of BNSS, is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the grounds

filed in support of the Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to quash the proceedings against the petitioners in Crime No. 46 of 2026 dated 17.04.2026 on the file of Nadendla police station, Nadendla Mandal, Palnadu District lodged under section 137(2) r/w 3(5) BNSS,

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and memorandum of grounds filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri SESHAGIRI RAO ULLAM Advocate for the Petitioner, Public Prosecutor for R1 directed issue of notice to the Respondent No.2 herein to show cause as to why this CRIMINAL PETITION should not be admitted.

You viz:

Gorantla Srinivasa rao, S/o. Balakotaiah, R/o. Jangalapalli village, Nadendla Mandal, Palnadu District,

are be and hereby directed to show cause either appearing in person or through an Advocate as to why in the circumstances set out in the petition and the affidavit filed therewith (copy enclosed) this CRIMINAL PETITION should not be admitted on or before summer vacation, 2026.

IA NO: 2 OF 2026

Petition under Section 528 of BNSS is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to grant stay of all further proceedings against the petitioners in Crime No. 46 of 2026 dated 17.04.2026 on the file of Nadendla police station, Nadendla Mandal, Palnadu District lodged under section 137(2) r/w 3(5) BNSS, pending disposal of CRLP No. 3475 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

The Court made the following: ORDER

The present petitioners are arrayed as accused Nos. 1 to 8 in F.I.R. No. 46 of 2026, dated 17.04.2026, on the file of Nadendla Police Station, Palnadu District, for the offences punishable under Section 137(2) read with 3(5) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023.

The learned counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioner No. 1 is the wife of the de facto complainant and petitioner Nos.2 to 8 are

relatives of petitioner No.1. There are matrimonial disputes between petitioner No.1 and the de facto complainant, while children were proceeded with petitioner No. 1 on the occasion of vacation, the de facto complainant/husband lodged a false case of kidnapping; thus, the case is liable to be quashed.

The learned Assistant Public Prosecutor submits that there is prima facie material to lodge F.I.R. against the petitioners.

Having heard the learned counsel for the parties and upon considering the entire aspect, it appears that there is prima facie justification to entertain the present Criminal Petition. Accordingly, the present Criminal Petition is admitted.

Issue notice upon Respondent No.2.

The learned counsel for the Petitioner is permitted to take out personal notice on Respondent No.2 and file proof to that effect.

In the mean time the authorities shall not take any coercive steps regarding arrest of the petitioners until further orders.

List the matter after Summer Vacation, 2026.

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SD/- K.SRINIVASA RAJU
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Station House Officer, Nadendla police station, Nadendla Mandal, Painedadu District.
2. Gorantia Srinivasa rao, S/o. Balakotaiah, R/o. Jangalapalli village, Nadendia Mandal, Palnadu District, (by RPAD- along with a copy of petition and memorandum of grounds)
3. One CC to SRI. SESHAGIRI RAO ULLAM Advocate [OPUC]
4. Two CCs to Public Prosecutor, High Court of A.P. [OUT]
5. One spare copy.

HIGH COURT

SS,J

DATED:28/04/2026

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CRLP.No.3475 of 2026

DIRECTION

