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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
FRIDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF MAY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

: PRESENT:

**THE HONOURABLE DR JUSTICE Y. LAKSHMANA RAO
CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 3540 OF 2026**



Between:

1. Bhavesh Ratanchand Shah, S/o. Ratanchand Shah, aged about 50 years, R/o. Plot No.40B, Shanti Kunj, Arihanth Colony, Bijapur, Karnataka -586101
2. Ratanchand Shah, S/o. Ratanchand Manchaji, aged about 83 years, R/o. Plot No. 40B, Shanti Kunj, Arihanth Colony, Bijapur, Karnataka - 586101
3. Shanti Bai Shah, W/o. Ratanchand Shah, aged about 78 years, R/o. Plot No. 40B, Shanti Kunj, Arihanth Colony, Bijapur, Karnataka - 586101
4. Bharat Ratanchand Shah, S/o. Ratanchand Shah, aged about 52 years, R/o. Plot No. 40B, Shanti Kunj, Arihanth Colony, Bijapur, Karnataka - 586101.
5. Dinesh Ratanchand Shah, S/o Ratanchand Shah, aged about 54 years, R/o Plot No.40B, Shanti Kunj, Arihanth Colony, Bijapur, Karnataka - 586101

Petitioners/Accused Nos. 1 to 5

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Represented by its Public Prosecutor.
2. Dimple Bhavesh Shah, W/o. Bhavesh Shah, aged about 49 years, R/o. D. No. 31-33-46A, A2, 1st Floor, Neelu Heights, Near MGM School, Dabagardens, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh

Respondents/Complainant

WHEREAS the Petitioners/Accused above named through their Advocate Sri D S Sivadarshan, 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 impugned charge sheet and all further proceedings in C.C. No. 3310 of 2025 on the file of the Hon'ble I Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Visakhapatnam, arising out of Crime No. 324 of 2024 of Mahila Police Station, Visakhapatnam, insofar as the Petitioners are concerned

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and memorandum of grounds filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri D S Sivadarshan, Advocate for the Petitioners, and of Public Prosecutor for Respondent No.1, 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:

1. Dimple Bhavesh Shah, W/o. Bhavesh Shah, aged about 49 years, R/o. D. No. 31-33-46A, A2, 1 Floor, Neelu Heights, Near MGM School, Dabagardens, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh

are be and hereby directed to show cause on or before 15.06.2026 to which date the case stands posted either appearing in person or through an advocate as to why in the circumstances set out in the petition and the memorandum of grounds filed therewith (copy enclosed) this CRIMINAL PETITION should not be admitted.

IA NO: 2 OF 2026

Petition under Section 528 of BNSS is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the grounds filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to stay all further proceedings in C.C. No. 3310 of 2025 on the file of the Hon'ble I Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate,

Visakhapatnam, as against the Petitioners/Accused Nos. 1 to 5, arising out of Crime No. 324 of 2024 of Mahila Police Station, Visakhapatnam, Pending disposal of CRLP No.3540 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

The Court made the following: ORDER

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Assistant Public Prosecutor.

Issue notice to respondent No.2.

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

The matter is referred to mediation.

Ms.K.T.Shdha Sree, learned trained Mediator, is appointed as the Mediator in this case.

The Secretary, High Court Legal Services Committee, is directed to issue necessary proceedings in that regard.

The fee for the Mediator shall be fixed at a later point of time.

The petitioners and Respondent No.2 are directed to appear before the learned Mediator on 08.05.2026 or on any other convenient date for the parties and the Mediator.

The learned Magistrate of the Trial Court and the Station House Officer concerned are hereby directed to drive the parties before the Mediator for amicable settlement.

Post the matter after Summer Vacation-2026, for Mediator's report.

Until the conclusion of the mediation proceedings, the presence of Petitioners/Accused Nos.1 to 5 is dispensed with before the learned Trial Court, unless their presence is otherwise required.

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DEPUTY REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER**

To,

1. The Secretary, High Court Legal Services Committee, High Court Buildings, Amaravati
2. The I Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Visakhapatnam
3. The Station House Officer, Mahila Police Station, Visakhapatnam
(TO SECURE PRESENCE OF THE PARTIES FOR APPEARANCE BEFORE THE MEDIATOR ON 08.05.2026)
4. Dimple Bhavesh Shah, W/o. Bhavesh Shah, aged about 49 years, R/o. D. No. 31-33-46A, A2, 1 Floor, Neelu Heights, Near MGM School, Dabagardens, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh (by RPAD- along with a copy of petition and memorandum of grounds)
5. One CC to Sri D S Sivadarshan, Advocate [OPUC]
6. One CC to Ms K.T. Sudha Sree, Mediator
7. Two CCs to Public Prosecutor, High Court of Andhra Pradesh [OUT]
8. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

DR.YLR, J

DATED: 01/05/2026

POST THE MATTER AFTER SUMMER VACATION - 2026

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