



(SHOW CAUSE NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION)
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: 3674 OF 2026

Between:

1. Gowripeddi Subramanya Sharma, S/o G.Krishnamurthy Sharma, Aged about 55 years, residing at House No, 26-390 Chinnamarket, Onetown, Kurnool District.
2. Gowripeddi Akhil, S/o Gowripeddi Subramanya Sharma, aged about 28 years, residing at House No, 26-390, Chinnamarket, Onetown, Kurnool District.

Petitioners/Accused No.1 and 2

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Represented by the Public Prosecutor, High Court at Amaravathi.
2. Chilukuru Bhaskar, S/o Late Krishna Murthy, Aged about 57 years, resident of H.No. 40/808-F7-1, BSNL Office Road, Kurnool Town, Kurnool District.

Respondents/Complainant

WHEREAS the Petitioner/Accused above named through their Advocate Sri T DIWAKAR REDDY presented this Petition under Sections 482 of Cr.P.C/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 in C.C.No. 701 of 2026 on the file of the Learned Judicial First-Class Magistrate; (Proh., & Excise), Kurnool;

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and memorandum of grounds filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri T DIWAKAR REDDY 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:

Chilukuru Bhaskar, S/o Late Krishna Murthy, resident of H.No. 40/808-F7-1, BSNL Office Road, Kurnool Town, Kurnool 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 Sections 482 of Cr.P.C/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 stay all further proceedings including the personal appearance of the Petitioners in C.C.No. 701 of 2026 on the file of the Learned Judicial First-Class Magistrate (Proh., & Excise), Kurnool, pending disposal of CRLP No. 3674 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 the 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.

It is alleged that the petitioner/Accused No.2 signed and issued a cheque, which was dishonoured on the ground that 'payment stopped by the drawer.'" Instead of filing a complaint under Section 138 of 'the N.I.Act', respondent No.2 chose to lodge a complaint with the police, which was registered as Crime No.497 of 2025 for the alleged offences punishable under Sections 318(4) read with 3(5) of the 'the BNS', not only against petitioner/Accused No.2 but also against petitioner/Accused No.1, who is the father of petitioner No.2.

The learned counsel for the petitioners further submits respondent No.2 has instituted a suit on the strength of a promissory note covering the amount which is the subject matter of the cheque. Considering the entire facts and circumstances of the case, there shall be a stay of all further proceedings in C.C.No.701 of 2026 on the file of the learned Judicial First Class Magistrate (Prohibition & Excise), Kurnool, until the next date of hearing.

Since all the offences are compoundable in nature, the matter is referred to mediation.

Ms.Kalava Rama Tulasi, learned trained Mediator, is appointed as Mediator in this case.

The Secretary, High Court Legal Services Committee, is directed to issue necessary proceedings in this 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 Mediator on 08.05.2026, or on any other date 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 the Mediator's report.

SD/- U.SRIDEVI
DEPUTY REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER

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To,

1. The Secretary, High Court Legal Services Committee, High Court of A.P. at Amaravati
2. The Judicial First-Class Magistrate (Proh., & Excise), Kurnool.

3. The Station House Officer, Kurnool III-Town P.S.(Ensure presence of parties for settlement)
4. Chilukuru Bhaskar, S/o Late Krishna Murthy, resident of H.No. 40/808-F7-1,BSNL Office Road, Kurnool Town, Kurnool District. (by **SPEED POST**- along with a copy of petition and memorandum of grounds)(**FOR APPEARANCE**)
5. One CC to SRI. T DIWAKAR REDDY Advocate [OPUC]
6. Two CCs to Public Prosecutor, High Court of A.P. [OUT]
7. One CC to Ms.Kalava Rama Tulasi, Advocate [OPUC]
8. One spare copy.

HIGH COURT

DR.YLR,J

DATED:01/05/2026

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