



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

[3368]

**TUESDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

PRESENT

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE B V L N CHAKRAVARTHI
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO: 336/2007**

Between:

1. G. ANIL KUMAR, JUNIOR ASSISTANT O/O MANDAL
PRAJAPARISHAD, DEVELOPMENT OFFICER, KAMBADUR.

...APPELLANT

AND

1. THE STATE OF A P REP BY INSPECTOR OF POLICE ACB
ANTP, rep. by the Inspector of Police, A.C.B., Ananthapur
Range, Ananthaur, through the Spl. Public Prosecutor, High
Court of A.P., Hyderabad.

...RESPONDENT

Appeal under Section 372/374(2)/378(4) of Cr.P.C praying that
the High Court may be pleased to present this Memorandum of
Grounds of CrI.A., to this Hon'ble Court against the Judgment of the
Addl. Spl. Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, City Civil Court, Hyderabad in
C.C.No.8/02, dated 13.03.07.

IA NO: 1 OF 2007(CRLAMP 439 OF 2007)

Petition under Section 151 CPC praying that in the
circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the
High Court may be pleased to suspend the execution of the sentence
passed by the Addl. Spl. Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, City Civil Court,
Hyderabad in C.C.No.8/02, dated 13.03.07 and release the petitioner
on bail, pending disposal of the CrI.A., before this Hon'ble Court.

Counsel for the Appellant:

1. D SANGEETHA REDDY

Counsel for the Respondent:

1. S. SYAM SUNDER RAO SC cum Spl P.P. For ACB

The Court made the following:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE B.V.L.N.CHAKRAVARTHI**CRIMINAL APPEAL No.336 of 2007****JUDGMENT:**

When the matter is taken up for hearing, Sri A. Hari Prasad Reddy, learned counsel representing Smt. D. Sangeetha Reddy, learned counsel for the appellant/Accused No.1, and Sri S. Syam Sunder Rao, learned Standing Counsel – cum - Special Public Prosecutor for ACB, appearing for the respondent–State, submitted that the appellant/Accused No.1 had passed away on 04.07.2016 during the pendency of the appeal.

2. In this regard, the prosecution filed a memo dated 02.05.2025 before the Registry, along with a copy of the death certificate of the deceased appellant/Accused No.1.

3. In view of the submissions made by the learned counsel on either side, and as none of the legal representatives of the deceased appellant/Accused No.1 have come forward seeking leave to continue the appeal, as contemplated under Section 394 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the appeal stands abated against the appellant/Accused No.1 under Section 394 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

4. Accordingly, the Criminal Appeal is dismissed as abated.

As a sequel thereto, interlocutory applications, if any, pending in this Criminal Appeal shall stand closed.

17th February, 2026
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JUSTICE B.V.L.N. CHAKRAVARTHI

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