

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI

THURSDAY ,THE SEVENTH DAY OF MAY

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K SURESH REDDY

AND

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE CHALLA GUNARANJAN

IA No. 1 OF 2026

IN

CRLA NO: 294 OF 2021

Between:

Mangi Rama Raju, s/o (late) Venkaiah, aged about 38 years occ.Cooli
Pathrunivalasa village Srikakulam Mandal Krishna District.

...Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, rep. by the Public Prosecutor, High Court of A.P at Amaravati Through SHO Hanuman Junction Police Station Nuzvid Krishna district.
2. Medepalli Suresh Kumar, village Revenue officer Arugolanu village,Hanuman junction police station limits Nuzvid Krishna District.

...Respondent(s)

Petition under Section 389(1) of CrPC r/w sec 43(1) of BNSS praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to enlarge the petitioner on bail by suspending the judgement dated 22.03.2021 in SC No. 165/2019 on the file of the Court of XV ADDL District and Sessions Judge Krishna District at Nuzvid and pass Pending disposal of CRLA No. 294 of 2021, on the file of the High Court.

The petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and upon hearing the arguments of TOTA TEJESWARA RAO Advocate for the



Petitioner and of PUBLIC PROSECUTOR for the Respondent, the Court made the following

ORDER:

The present application is filed by the petitioner/appellant/accused under Section 430(1) of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, seeking his release on bail by suspending the sentence of imprisonment imposed by the learned XV Additional District and Sessions Judge, Krishna District at Nuzvid, *vide* S.C.No.165 of 2019, dated 22.03.2021, pending the present Criminal Appeal before this Court.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner/accused contends that immediately after pronouncement of judgment, the petitioner/accused was taken into custody and the petitioner/accused is undergoing imprisonment in Central Prison, Rajamahendravaram. He further contends that the petitioner/accused has undergone five (05) years of actual sentence. The learned counsel for the petitioner/appellant/accused further contends that as the appeal is of the year-2021, it takes some more time to come up for "Hearing". As such, he requests this Court to enlarge the petitioner/appellant/accused on bail in terms of the order, dated 02.11.2016, passed by the Combined High Court in *Batchu Rangarao and others Vs The State of Andhra Pradesh (Crl.A.M.P.No.1687 of 2016 in Crl.A.No.607 of 2011)*.

3. On the other hand, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor, on instructions, states that the case of the petitioner/appellant/accused does not fall within the prohibitory categories as envisaged in the above referred order.

4. In view of the same, this Court is inclined to enlarge him on bail by suspending the sentence of imprisonment imposed by the learned Sessions Judge pending the present Criminal Appeal.

5. The petitioner/appellant/accused is directed to be released on bail on his executing a personal bond for Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand only) with two (02) sureties for a like sum each to the

satisfaction of the learned II Additional Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Nuzvid.

6. The petitioner/appellant/accused is directed to report before the concerned Station House Officer i.e., Inspector of Police, Hanuman Junction Circle, once in a month, i.e., on the 1st of every month. In the event of failure to report as directed, the concerned Station House Officer is at liberty to initiate appropriate proceedings by approaching this Court for cancellation of bail. The petitioner/appellant/accused is further directed to appear before this Court without fail on all dates when the case stands posted for hearing. If the petitioner is found to be involved in any other criminal case during the pendency of the bail period, or if he violates any of the conditions imposed by this Court, the learned Public Prosecutor is at liberty to approach this Court by filing an appropriate petition seeking cancellation of bail. 7. Accordingly, with the above directions, the present application is allowed.

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SD/- S.SHYAMALA
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The II Additional Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Nuzvid.
2. The XV Additional District and Sessions Judge Court, Nuzvid, Krishna district.
3. The Superintendent, Central Prison, Rajamahendravaram, East Godavari district.
4. The Station House Officer, Hanuman Junction Circle Police Station, Krishna district.
5. One CC to SRI. TOTA TEJESWARA RAO Advocate [OPUC]
6. Two CC to SRI. PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, High Court of A.P., Amaravati [OUT]
7. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

KSRJ &
CGRJ

DATED:07.05.2026

ORDER

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ALLOWED