



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
AT AMARAVATI



MONDAY, THE 17th DAY OF AUGUST 2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE ALAPATI GIRIDHAR

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO: 120 OF 2008

Between:

State of A.P., rep. by the Public Prosecutor, High Court of A.P., Hyderabad.

...Petitioner

AND

1. Kode Ramabrahmam, S/o Sambaiah, 33 yrs, Municipal Councillor Chilakaluripet, N/o Murikiopudi. R/o Ragannapalem, Chilakaluripet, Guntur Dist. (A-1)
2. Kode Santhilatha, W/o Ramabrahmam, Age 30 yrs. N/o Murikiopudi. R/o Ragannapalem, Chilakaluripet, Guntur Dist. (A-2)
3. Chakravaram Venkata Ramaraju, S/o Koti Suryamraju, 29 yrs, Karumanchi, Savalyapuram (M), Near Vinukonda, Teacher, ZP High School, Karumanchi.(A-3).
4. Mavilla Srinivasulu Vasu A4, S/o Narasaiah, 37 yrs, Principal-cum-Physics Lecturer Krishnaveni Jr.College, Balasamudram, Hanumankonda, R/o Allur(V), Nellore Dist. (A-4)
5. Kilaru Ravindrababu, S/o Pardhasaradhi, 28 yrs, 10th Line, Pandaripuram, Chilakaluripet, Kummavaripalem, Chilakaluripet (M), Guntur Dist. (A-5)
6. Panguluri Venkata Prasad, S/o Anjaneyulu, Age 29 yrs, R/o D.No.24-104, Gandhipet, Chilakaluripet, Guntur Dist.(A-6)
7. Pavuluri Nageswara Rao, S/o Krishna Rao, 27 yrs, R/o 5th Line, Pandaripuram, Chilakaluripet, Guntur Dist.(A-7).
8. Tella Ravi, S/o Pullaiah, R/o Palaparru Village, Guntur Dist.(A-8).
9. Narla Srinivasa Babu, S/o Venkateswara Rao, 26 yrs, R/o 7th Line, Pandaripuram, Chilakaluripet, Guntur Dist.(A-9)

10. Gorantla Uma Maheswara Rao, S/o Chandramouli, 26 yrs, R/o Veerannapalem, R/o Pasumaru, Chilakaluripet(M), Guntur Dist.(A10)
11. Sadda Sesha Reddy, S/o Sundararami Reddy, 44 yrs, Lecturer R/o Ongole.(A11)
12. Kilari Panduranga Rao, S/o Sri Ramaiah, 49 yrs, Lecturer D.A.Govt. Polytechnic, Ongole, Prakasam Dist.(A12)
13. Dr Nalluri Raghava Rao, S/o Sriramulu, 40 yrs, Honorary Advisory Adarsha Residential College, Ongole, Prakasam Dist.(A13)
14. Chebrolu Ramanjaneyulu, S/o Venkata Subbaiah, 38 yrs, Ravinuthala, Karisapadu(M) Clerk Adarsha Residential College, Ongole. R/o Ravinuthala, Korisapadu Mandal.(A14)
15. Paladugu Sankara Rao, S/o Subbarao, Malledugu (P.O), Tenali, Clerk Adarsha Residential College, Ongole.(A15)
16. Nagabhairava Veerababu, S/o Koteswara Rao, 32 yrs, Director Nagabhairava Residential College, Gullapalli.(A16)
17. Kakarla Lakshmi Sudhakar, Chief Warden Nagabhairava Residential College, Gullapalli, Guntur Dist.(A17).
18. Jaladi Venkata Rao, S/o Raja Rao, Director Vikram Residential College, Tenali. R/o 1-34-1, Najarpeta, Tenali.(A18)
19. Panda Krishnavardhan Rao, S/o Basava Punna Rao, 34 yrs, 1st Line, Vidyanagar, Guntur.(A19).
20. Yallaturi Ramakrishna Reddy, S/o Chinna Rami Reddy, 37 yrs, Correspondent SSN Residential College, Ongole. Prakasam Dist.(A20)
21. Dumpa Venkata Krishna Reddy, S/o Krishna Mohan Reddy, 32 yrs, Principal SSN Residential College, Ongole. Prakasam Dist.(A21)
22. Dr Veluri Krishna Murthy, S/o Musalaiah, 42 yrs, Director Vivekananda Vidya Samstha, Martur, Prakasam Dist.(A22)

...Accused/Respondents

Appeal under Section 378(3) & (1) Cr.P.C praying that the High Court may be pleased to present this memorandum of CrI.A., against the Judgment in C.C.No.37 of 1998, on the file of the IX Metropolitan Magistrate, Hyderabad,

dated 30.11.2004 and prays that this Hon'ble Court may be pleased to set-aside the Order of acquittal and convict the accused (respondent) for the offence with which he was charged.

The Petition, coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of PUBLIC PROSECUTOR for Petitioner, Sri S A V RATNAM Counsel for the R-7, Sri HANUMANTHA RAO VELLALACHERVU, Counsel for the R-11, Sri C SHARAN REDDY Counsel for the R-6, Sri GANDURI NAGESWARA RAO Counsel for the R12, Sri K RAMA KOTESWARA RAO Counsel for the R-10, Sri RAMA RAO GHANTA Counsel for the R.8, Sri P NAGENDRA REDDY Counsel for the R-9, and the Court made the following.

ORDER:

Learned Assistant Public Prosecutor submits that the case pertains to leakage of Intermediate Question Papers and the Trial Court Record is yet to be received.

This Court, on 31.07.2026, directed the Registry to call for the record from the Trial Court by a Special Messenger.

Registrar (Judicial) is requested to address a letter and submit a report in this regard by the next date of hearing.

It appears the Inspector of Police, CID, Ongole, did not pursue the matter with due diligence as to submit for listing, secure the record and for disposal of the criminal appeal, thus he is directed to submit a report and he is also directed to appear through virtual mode on the next date of hearing.

List on 24.08.2026.

SD/- U.SRIDEVI
DEPUTY REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER

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To,

1. The Registrar (Judicial), High Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amaravati.

2. The IX Metropolitan Magistrate, Hyderabad (by Special Messenger)
3. The Inspector of Police, CID, Ongole.
4. Two CCs to PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, High Court of A.P [OUT]
5. One CC to SRI. S A V RATNAM Advocate [OPUC]
6. One CC to SRI. HANUMANTHA RAO VELLALACHERVU Advocate [OPUC]
7. One CC to SRI. T NAGARJUNA REDDY Advocate [OPUC]
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HIGH COURT

AGD,J

DATED:17/08/2026

LIST ON 24.08.2026

ORDER

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