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IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD**

FRIDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF FEBRUARY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

**:PRESENT:
THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE J.SREENIVAS RAO**

CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 1455 OF 2026

Between:

1. M/s. Ravini Technologies Private Limited (also known as HONC), Represented by its Directors, Sri Niranjana Seelam, Smt. Viraji Krishnan, Office at Street No. 6, Plot No. 49, Maple Homes, ECIL, Saket Road, AS Rao Nagar, Hyderabad, Telangana-62.
2. Shri Niranjana Seelam,
3. Smt. Viraji Krishnan,

Petitioner/Accused

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Represented by its Public Prosecutor at Hyderabad
2. Mr. Chirag N Raval, S/o. Narendrabhai C Raval, Resident of My Home Avatar, Block 6-1302, Narsingi, Hyderabad.

Respondents/Complainant

WHEREAS the Petitioners above named through their Advocate Sri N.Pavan Krishna Reddy, presented this petition under Section 528 of BNSS, praying that in the circumstances stated in the petition, the High Court may be pleased to quash all further proceedings in S.T.C. NI. No. 782 of 2024 on the file of II Additional Junior Civil Judge-cum-X Additional Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Ranga Reddy District at Kukatpally, in the interest of justice.

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and memorandum of grounds filed therein, and upon hearing the arguments of Sri T. Pradyumna Kumar Reddy, Senior Counsel, representing Sri N.Pavan Krishna Reddy, Advocate for the Petitioners, and the Addl. 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:

Mr. Chirag N Raval, S/o. Narendrabhai C Raval, Resident of My Home Avatar, Block 6-1302, Narsingi, Hyderabad.

are directed to show cause on or before 09-03-2026 to which date the case stands posted 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, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in the petition, the High Court may be pleased to grant stay of all further proceedings in S.T.C. N.I. No. 782 of 2024 on the file of II Additional Junior Civil Judge-cum-X Additional Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Ranga Reddy District at Kukatpally, pending disposal of Crl. P No. 1455 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

The Court made the following: ORDER:

Sri T. Pradyumna Kumar Reddy, learned Senior Counsel representing Sri Pavan Krishna Reddy, learned counsel for the petitioners, submits that the petitioners/accused Nos. 1, 3, and 4 have not committed the alleged offence and have been falsely implicated in the present case. He further submits that there is no privity of contract between the petitioners and respondent No. 2. The entire allegations, as well as the legal enforceability of the alleged debt, are between accused No. 2 and respondent No.2 alone. The petitioners have neither received any amount nor issued the alleged cheque in favour of respondent No. 2. Hence, the ingredients of the offence under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act are not attracted against the petitioners, and the continuation of the proceedings against them is a clear abuse of process of law.

Taking into consideration the above submissions, this Court is of the view that detailed examination is required for adjudication of the case.

Notice before admission.

Learned Additional Public Prosecutor takes notice on behalf of respondent No.1

Learned counsel for the petitioners is permitted to take out personal notice to respondent No.2 by way of Speed Post with Acknowledgment Due and file proof of service.

Post on 09.03.2026.

Till then, there shall be an interim stay of all further proceedings against the petitioners/accused Nos.1, 3 and 4 in STC NI No.782 of 2024 on the file of II Additional Junior Civil Judge-cum-X Additional Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Ranga Reddy District at Kukatpally. In default of filing proof of service, the stay shall stand vacated.

Sd/- B. REKHA RANI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The II Additional Junior Civil Judge-cum-X Additional Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Ranga Reddy District at Kukatpally
 2. Mr. Chirag N Raval, S/o. Narendrabhai C Raval, Resident of My Home Avatar, Block 6-1302, Narsingi, Hyderabad.(BY SPAD along with a copy of petition and grounds)
 3. Two CCs to Public Prosecutor, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad (OUT)
 4. One CC to Sri Pavan Krishna Reddy, Advocate (OPUC)
 5. One Spare Copy
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HIGH COURT

JSR,J

DATE: 06-02-2026

NOTE: POST ON 09-03-2026

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