

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

**MONDAY, THE TWENTY SEVENTH DAY OF APRIL
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE J. SREENIVAS RAO

CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 6406 OF 2026

Between:

MOHAMMED BILAL, S/o Ghouse Ahmed, Aged 35 Years, Occ. Working as a News Reporter in TV99 Channel, R/o H.No. 19-3-528/3, Near IPS School, Jahanuma, Hyderabad.

...Petitioner/Accused

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep by its Public Prosecutor, High Court at Hyderabad. **...Respondent**
2. Sri.Mohammed Farooq Khan, S/o Late Jumma Khan, Aged 43 years, Occ. Real Estate, R/o H.No.19-2-24/13/4, Md. Ali Road, Alibagh, Shahalibanda, Hyderabad.

...Respondent No. 2/De-facto Complainant

Petition under Section 528 of BNSS praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to quash the C.C No. 1343 of 2026 of P.S Shahalibanda, pending the file of XVI ACJM, At Nampally, Hyderabad against the petitioner /Accused

I.A. NO: 2 OF 2026

Petition under Section 528 of BNSS praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to stay of all further proceedings in C.C No. 1343 of 2026 of P.S Shahalibanda, pending the file of Hon'ble XVI ACJM, At: Nampally, Hyderabad against the petitioner /Accused in the interest of justice pending disposal of the main criminal petition

This Petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition and upon hearing the arguments of Sri Khaja Arajuddin, Advocate for the Petitioner and the Mr. Jithender Rao Veeramalla, Additional Public Prosecutor on behalf of the Respondent No. 1 and of None appeared for the Respondent No. 2.

The Court made the following: ORDER

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THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE J.SREENIVAS RAO

CRIMINAL PETITION No.6406 of 2026

Date:27.04.2026

Between:

Mohammed Bilal

...Petitioner

AND

The State of Telangana, and another.

...Respondents

Order

This Criminal Petition is filed by the petitioner/accused seeking to quash the proceedings in C.C.No.1343 of 2026 on the file of the XVI Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, at Nampally, Hyderabad.

2. Heard Mr.Khaja Arajuddin, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.Jithender Rao Veeramalla, learned Additional Public Prosecutor for respondent No.1.

3. Though the Criminal Petition was filed seeking to quash the proceedings in C.C.No.1343 of 2026 by raising several grounds, the learned counsel for the petitioner restricted her prayer to direct the XVI Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, at Nampally, Hyderabad, to

conclude and dispose of C.C.No.1343 of 2026 as expeditiously as possible.

4. *Per contra*, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor submitted that several cases are pending before the trial Court and the petitioner are not entitled to seek expedite disposal of C.C.No.1343 of 2026.

5. Having considered the submissions made by the respective parties and without expressing any view, the XVI Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, at Nampally, Hyderabad, is directed to conclude the trial and dispose of C.C.No.1343 of 2026 as expeditiously as possible. It is made clear that the parties in *lis* shall cooperate with the trial Court for disposal of C.C.No.1343 of 2026 without seeking undue adjournments.

6. Accordingly, the Criminal Petition is disposed of.

Miscellaneous applications, pending if any, shall stand closed.

**SD/-K. BHAVANI SWAMY
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**

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To,

1. The XVI Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, At Nampally, Hyderabad.
2. The Station House Officer, Shahalibanda Police Station, Hyderabad.
3. Two CCs to the Public Prosecutor, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad (OUT)
4. One CC to Sri Khaja Arajuddin, Advocate [OPUC]
5. Two CD Copies

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HIGH COURT

DATED: 27/04/2026

ORDER

CRLP.No.6406 of 2026



DISPOSING OF THE CRIMINAL PETITION

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