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IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD
FRIDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SMT JUSTICE JUVVADI SRIDEVI

IA No. 1 OF 2025

IN

CRLRC NO: 971 OF 2025

Between:

Dr. B.V.S. Lakshmi, W/o B.S. Ramachandar Rao, Aged about 67 years, Occ
Business, R/o G-2, 5-10-197/2, Adarsh Nagar, Hill Fort Road, Hyderabad

...Petitioner/Defacto Complainant

AND

1. Geometrix Laser Solutions Private Limited, Represented by its Managing Director. Having its registered office at Level 7, Maximus Tower, Building 2A, Mindspace Complex, Hitech City, Hyderabad - 500081
2. Mr. Niyaz Ahmed, S/o Jannat Ahmed, Age Unknown to the Petitioner, Occ Business, R/ o New Independent Homes, Keerthi Enclave (On NH5), Sullurpeta, SPSR Nellore District, A.P.

Respondents/Accused No.1 and 2

3. Registrar of Companies,, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, IInd Floor, Corporate Bhavan, Bandlaguda, Nagole, Hyderabad-500068
4. State of Telangana, Rep by its Public Prosecutor, High Court of Telangana, Hyderabad (Respondent No. 4 formal party in this Criminal Revision Case)

Respondents.

Counsel for the Petitioner : SRI TPS HARSHA

Counsel for the Respondent No.4: Public Prosecutor

Petition under Section 528 of BNSS praying that in the circumstances stated in the grounds filed in support of the criminal petition, the High Court may be pleased to stay all further proceedings in C C No 34 of 2019 before the Honourable Principal Special Court for Trial of Economic Offences Cum VIII Additional Metropolitan Sessions Judge, Nampally, pending disposal of CRLRC No. 971 of 2025, on the file of the High Court.

The court while directing issue of notice to the Respondents herein to show cause as to why this application should not be complied with, made the following order.(The receipt of this order will be deemed to be the receipt of notice in the case).

ORDER

This application is filed seeking to grant stay of all further proceedings in C.C.No.34 of 2019 pending on the file of the learned Principal Special Court for Trial of Economic Offences-cum-VIII Additional Metropolitan Sessions Judge, Nampally.

Heard Mr.T.P.S.Harsha, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.Pulimamidi Shashidhar Reddy, learned Standing Counsel appearing for respondent No.3.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the trial Court ought to have seen that the complaint was based solely on the Inspection Report, dated 17.04.2018. There is no reference to the Supplementary Inspection Report, dated 27.03.2019 in the complaint, however, the said report was brought on record in the proceedings subsequently. In these circumstances, it is necessary to examine the Supplementary Inspection Report, dated 27.03.2019 in order to determine whether additional charges are required to be framed and whether any additional persons ought to be arrayed as accused.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that the trial Court failed to appreciate that it was well within the rights of the petitioner to file an appropriate application seeking framing of additional charges, and that the trial Court ought to have conducted trial so as to adjudicate upon the said application. He further submits that in the light of the Supplementary Inspection Report, dated 27.03.2019, and the evidence adduced by PWs.2 and 3 subsequently, the trial Court ought to have directed respondent No.3 to file an appropriate application for bringing additional charges on record. Hence, he prayed to grant stay of all further proceedings against the petitioner.

On the other hand, learned Standing Counsel appearing for respondent No.3 opposed for grant of stay.

The submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner do require detailed examination.

However, there shall be stay of all further proceedings in C.C.No.34 of 2019 pending on the file of the learned Principal Special Court for Trial of Economic Offences-cum-VIII Additional Metropolitan Sessions Judge, Nampally, till 22.01.2026.

SD/- T. SRINIVAS REDDY
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. Principal Special Court for Trial of Economic Offences-cum-VIII Additional Metropolitan Sessions Judge, Nampally.
2. The Managing Director, Geometrix Laser Solutions Private Limited,, Having its registered office at Level 7, Maximus Tower, Building 2A, Mindspace Complex, Hitech City, Hyderabad – 500081.
3. Mr. Niyaz Ahmed,, S/o Jannat Ahmed, Occ Business, R/ o New Independent Homes, Keerthi Enclave (On NH5), Sullurpeta, SPSR Nellore District, A.P.
4. Registrar of Companies,, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, IIInd Floor, Corporate Bhavan, Bandlaguda, Nagole, Hyderabad-500068.
(RR 2 to 4 by SPAD along with the copy of the petition and Memorandum of grounds)
5. One CC to SRI. TPS HARSHA Advocate [OPUC]
6. Two CCs to PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, High Court at Hyderabad (OUT)
7. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

JSJ

DATED:19/12/2025

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