



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 09TH DAY OF APRIL, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S RACHAIAH

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 728 OF 2026

(439(Cr.PC)/483(BNSS))

BETWEEN:

PANKAJ SHARMA
S/O RAMADHAR,
AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS,
PERMANENT RESIDING AT
SAMASTHIPURA,
BELAHI VILLAGE, BITHANTANA,
JAGMORA PANCHAYATH,
BIHAR STATE – 848 207.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI. GIRISH R., ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. STATE OF KARNATAKA
BY GIRINAGARA PS,
BENGALURU.
NOW REPRESENTED BY
STATE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT BUILDING,
BENGALURU – 560 001.
2. NATARAJA B V
S/O. LATE VENKATARAAMU,





AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS,
R/AT NO.201, 1ST FLOOR,
2ND MAIN, BDA LAYOUT,
BANASHAKARI 3RD STAGE
BENGALURU – 560 085.

...RESPONDENTS

(BY Ms. ASMA KOUSER., ADDL. SPP FOR R1
R2 IS SERVED AND UNREPRESENTED)

THIS CRL.P FILED U/S 439 CR.PC (FILED U/S 483 BNSS)
BY THE ADVOCATE FOR THE PETITIONER PRAYING TO PASS AN
ORDER GRANTING BAIL THEREBY DIRECTING RESPONDENT
GIRINAGAR PS TO RELEASE THE PETITIONER IN
CR.NO.324/2025 ON SPL.C.NO.2839/2025 PENDING ON THE
FILE OF THE HON'BLE FTSC-1, ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND
SESSIONS JUDGE, BENGALURU FOR THE ALLEGED OFFENCES
P/U/S 8, 9(m), 10 OF POCSO ACT 2012.

THIS PETITION, COMING ON FOR ORDERS, THIS DAY,
ORDER WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S RACHAIAH

ORAL ORDER

1. After arguing the matter for some time, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks leave of the Court to withdraw the petition. He also files a memo of even date seeking to withdraw the petition.



2. Memo is taken on record. Leave granted, as sought for.
3. Criminal Petition is *dismissed as withdrawn*.

**Sd/-
(S RACHAIAH)
JUDGE**

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