



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 23RD DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.NAGAPRASANNA

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 4713 OF 2023 (482(Cr.PC) /
528(BNSS))

BETWEEN:

PRAMOD. V. JAIN @ PRAMOD
AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
S/O LATE VIMAL CHAND K
PEPPER BUSINESS,
R/A M.A ROAD, MUDIGERE
CHIKKAMAGALURU DISTRICT- 577101

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI. SUBBA REDDY K N., ADVOCATE)

AND:

STATE OF KARNATAKA
BY MUDIGERE POLICE STATION
MUDIGERE
CHIKKAMAGALURU DISTRICT
REP BY STATE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT COMPLEX
BANGALORE- 560001

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI. B.N.JAGADEESH, ADDL. SPP)

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S.482 CR.P.C BY THE ADVOCATE
FOR THE PETITIONER PRAYING THAT THIS HONOURABLE
COURT MAY BE PLEASED TO QUASH THE ENTIRE





PROCEEDINGS REGISTERED IN S.C.NO.112/2020 PENDING ON THE FILE OF II ADDITIONAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE, CHIKKAMAGALURU AND ALL FURTHER PROCEEDINGS PURSUANT THERETO VIDE ANNEXURE-A TO C AND ALLOW THIS PETITION.

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

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.NAGAPRASANNA

ORAL ORDER

Learned Additional Special Public Prosecutor on instructions would submit that the charges have been framed long ago and the trial is in progress and the petition would not be entertainable at this juncture.

2. In the light of the charges being framed, the entertainment of the petition will run foul of the judgment of the Apex Court in the case of **MINAKSHI BALA V. SUDHIR KUMAR**¹.

¹ (1994) 4 SCC 142



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3. Reserving liberty to the petitioners to avail of such remedy, as is available in law, the petition stands disposed.

Sd/-
(M.NAGAPRASANNA)
JUDGE

JS
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