



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. 5037 OF 2023

BETWEEN:

1. MANJUNATHA
S/O GANGARAJU,
AGED 33 YEARS,
2. VANAIAKSHI
W/O GANGARAJU
AGED 53 YEARS,
3. GANGARAJU
S/O SIDDAPPA
AGED 62 YEARS,
4. CHITRA
D/O GANGARAJU,
AGED 26 YEARS,
5. KUPENDRA
S/O GANGARAJ,
AGED 35 YEARS,
6. SHIVAKUMARI
W/O SHASHIKIRAN
AGED 32 YEARS,
7. MUNIRAJU @ MANJUNATH Y M
S/O MUNISIDDAPPA,
AGED 50 YEARS,





8. RAJAMA
W/O VENKATASWAMY
AGED 56 YEARS,

ALL ARE R/AT YARAPPANAHALLI VILLAGE,
BIDARAHALLI HOBLI,
BENGALURU - 49.

...PETITIONERS

(BY SRI. MOHANKUMARA D., ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. STATE OF KARNATAKA
BY AVALAHALLY POLICE STATION
REP BY ITS STATE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT COMPLEX,
BENGALURU DISTRICT - 560 001

2. SMT. JAYASHREE
W/O MANJUNATHA,
AGED 25 YEARS,

R/AT 122, YARAPPANAHALLI VILLAGE,
BIDARAHALLI HOBLI,
BENGALURU - 49.

...RESPONDENTS

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

SRI. H.M. MURALIDHAR, ADVOCATE FOR R2)

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 FIR REGISTERED BY
THE RESPONDENT AVALAHALLY POLICE STATION, BENGALURU
DISTRICT IN CR.NO.449/2022 FOR THE OFFENCE P/U/S



354(A), 506, 498A, 504, 355, 149, 323, 324, 327 AND 354 OF IPC AND SECTIONS 3 AND 4 OF DOWRY PROHIBITION ACT, ON THE FILE OF A.C.J.M., BENGALURU RURAL DISTRICT AND ETC.

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

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.NAGAPRASANNA

ORAL ORDER

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioners submit that during the pendency of the petition, the Police after investigation have filed the final report-charge sheet.

2. In the light of filing of the charge sheet, learned counsel appearing for the petitioners seeks leave of this Court to withdraw the petition and raise a challenge to the charge sheet.

3. Liberty so sought is granted.

4. The petition is ***disposed as withdrawn.***



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5. In view of disposal of the petition, pending application does not survive for consideration. Accordingly, the same is disposed of.

Sd/-
(M.NAGAPRASANNA)
JUDGE

JS
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