



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 26TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G BASAVARAJA

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.2601 OF 2025 (A)

BETWEEN:

1. H.M. RUDRAKUMAR
S/O D. MAHESHWARAPPA,
AGED ABOUT 54 YEARS,
T.N. SOMANNA COMPLEX,
Y. RAMACHANDRA ROAD,
GANDHINAGARA,
BANGALORE-560 009.

...APPELLANT

(BY SRI. G. CHANDRA MOHAN, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
BY PEENYA POLICE,
REPRESENTED BY STATE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT BUILDING,
BANGALORE-560 001.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI. M. DIWAKAR MADDUR, HCGP)

THIS CRL.A IS FILED UNDER SECTION 391 OF THE CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE AND UNDER SECTION 432 OF THE BHARATIYA NAGARIK SURAKSHA SANHITA, 2023, PRAYING TO SET ASIDE ORDER IN CRI.REV.PET.NO.601/2025 DATED





10.12.2025 PENDING ON THE FILE OF THE LEARNED LXXI ADDITIONAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS COURT AT BANGALORE CITY, BANGALORE, ETC.

THIS APPEAL, COMING ON FOR ORDERS, THIS DAY, JUDGMENT WAS DELIVERED THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G BASAVARAJA

ORAL JUDGMENT

Learned counsel for the appellant has filed a memo seeking conversion of this Criminal Appeal into Criminal Petition.

2. Memo reads as under:

"The appellant prays that this Hon'ble Court be pleased to kindly permit the appellant to appeal convert into Petition under Section 482 of the Cr.P.C in the interest of justice and equity."

3. The memo is placed on record. In view of the same, this appeal is ordered to be converted into Criminal Petition under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. Registry is directed to re-number this appeal as Criminal Petition and post before the appropriate bench.



4. The present appeal is disposed of for statistical purpose.

Sd/-
(G BASAVARAJA)
JUDGE

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