



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA

KALABURAGI BENCH

DATED THIS THE 23RD DAY OF MARCH, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G BASAVARAJA

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.200079 OF 2024

(374(Cr.PC)/415(BNSS))

BETWEEN:

CHANNAPPA
S/O SIDARAY DHULAKHED,
AGE: 57 YEARS, OCC: AGRICULTURE,
R/O BABALADI VILLAGE
TQ: INDI, DIST: VIJAYAPURA-586117.

...APPELLANT

(BY SRI R. S. LAGALI, ADVOCATE)

AND:

THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
THROUGH THE SHO, HORTI PS,
REP. BY THE ADDL. STATE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA,
KALABURAGI BENCH-585102

...RESPONDENT

(BY SRI JAMADAR SHAHABUDDIN, HCGP)

THIS CRIMINAL APPEAL IS FILED UNDER SECTION 374
(2) OF CR.P.C. (OLD) U/S. 415 BNSS (NEW) PRAYING TO I)
ADMIT THE PRESENT APPEAL II) CALL FOR THE RECORDS
FROM THE TRIAL COURT III) AFTER HEARING, ALLOW THIS
APPEAL THEREBY SET ASIDE THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION
DT. 09.02.2024 AND ORDER OF SENTENCE DT. 12.02.2024



PASSED IN SESSIONS CASE NO.119/2021 (ARISING OUT OF HORTI PS CRIME NO.129/2019) BY THE HONOURABLE PRINCIPAL DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE VIJAYAPURA AND ACQUIT THE APPELLANT OF ALL THE CHARGES U/SEC. 307, 504, 506 OF IPC.

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

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G BASAVARAJA

ORAL JUDGMENT

It is submitted by the learned counsel for the appellant that sole accused/appellant, Channappa S/o Sidaray Dhulakhed died on 09.07.2024. A copy of the death certificate is produced. In view of death of the sole appellant/accused, the Criminal Appeal stands abated.

**Sd/-
(G BASAVARAJA)
JUDGE**

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