



HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD

APPLICATION U/S 528 BNSS No. - 13194 of 2026

Sandeep

.....Applicant(s)

Versus

State of U.P. and Another

.....Opposite
Party(s)

Counsel for Applicant(s) : Akash Pundir, Shailendra Kumar Sharma
Counsel for Opposite Party(s) : G.A.

Court No. - 78

HON'BLE NAND PRABHA SHUKLA, J.

1. Heard Mr. Akash Pundir, learned counsel for the applicant, learned A.G.A. for the State and perused the record.
2. The present application under Section 528 B.N.S.S. has been preferred to quash the Cognizance/Summoning Order dated 31/10/2023 in Case No. 10567 of 2023 (State of U.P. Vs Sandeep) arising out of Crime No. 14 of 2023 under Sections 498-A, 323 & 506 I.P.C. and 3/4 Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 at P.S. Mahila Thana, District Kannauj, passed by the Court of Civil Judge (Junior Division) Fast Track Court II, District Kannauj and to stay the proceedings of Case No. 10567 of 2023 (State of U.P. Vs Sandeep) arising out of Crime No. 14 of 2023 under Sections 498-A, 323 & 506 I.P.C. and 3/4 Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 at P.S. Mahila Thana, District Kannauj, pending in the Court of Civil Judge (Junior Division) Fast Track Court II, District Kannauj.
3. Learned counsel for the applicant states that the applicant consents to refer the matter to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre, High Court Allahabad, for amicable settlement of the dispute.
4. Accordingly, the matter is referred to Mediation & Conciliation Centre of this Court. The applicant is directed to deposit a sum of Rs. 25,000/- by way of demand draft/pay order in the name of Allahabad High Court, Mediation and Conciliation Centre (AHCMCC) within a period of four weeks from today. Out of total amount, Rs. 20,000/- as legal expense shall be payable to opposite party No. 2 on her personal appearance before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre and remaining Rs. 5,000/- shall be payable to the

Mediation and Conciliation Centre.

5. The matter is referred to the Mediation Centre with the direction that same may be tried to be resolved after giving notices to the opposite parties. The Mediation Centre will submit its report in the matter within three months.

6. List this case on 16.07.2026 in the daily cause list before the appropriate Bench alongwith the report of Mediation Centre.

7. Till the next date of listing, no coercive measures shall be taken against the applicant in the aforesaid Case.

8. In case, the aforesaid amount is not deposited within the aforesaid period, the interim protection granted about shall automatically be vacated.

April 8, 2026
Shivani Sri.

(Nand Prabha Shukla,J.)