

# Nidamanuri Venkateswarlu vs The State Of Andhra Pradesh on 21 September, 2022

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**Bench: Ninala Jayasurya**

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH :: AMARAVATI

HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE NINALA JAYASURYA

CRIMINAL PETITION No.7541 OF 2022

Between:-

Nidamanuri Venkateswarlu  
and others

... Petitioners/  
Accused Nos.1 to 3

and

The State of Andhra Pradesh represented by  
Represented by its Public Prosecutor

... Respondent

Counsel for the petitioners : Mr.D.Kasi Rao

Counsel for the respondent : The Public Prosecutor

ORDER:

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Assistant Public Prosecutor representing the respondent.

2. The present Criminal Petition has been filed seeking to quash the proceedings against the petitioners in C.C. No.716 of 2019 on the file of the Court of Junior Civil Judge, Chirala, Bapatla District, registered for the offences punishable under Sections 353, 273, 420, 120(B) read with Section 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, Sections 59, 63 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners while placing reliance on the decision of this Court in Criminal Petition No.3731 of 2018 and batch, dated 27.8.2018, submits that the matter is squarely covered by the said decision and the present Criminal Petition deserves to be allowed by quashing the proceedings against the petitioners.

4. The learned Assistant Public Prosecutor fairly submits that the matter is covered by the common order passed in Criminal Petition No.3731 of 2018 and batch, dated 27.8.2018.

5. This Court has considered the submissions made by the learned counsel for both sides. A perusal of the material on record would show that the Police have suo motu registered the Crime against the petitioners in this case.

6. Since the present case is squarely covered by the decision in Criminal Petition No.3731 of 2018 and batch dated 27.8.2018, for the reasons alike, the Criminal Petition is allowed, quashing the proceedings against the petitioners/Accused Nos.1 to 3 in C.C. No.716 of 2019 on the file of the Court of Junior Civil Judge, Chirala, Bapatla District. Miscellaneous applications, pending if any, shall stand closed.

\_\_\_\_\_ NINALA JAYASURYA, J September 21, 2022.

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