

HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE RAJA ELANGO
CRIMINAL PETITION No.9812 of 2011

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ORDER:

This Criminal Petition is filed by the petitioners-accused Nos.4 and 6, under Section 482 Cr.P.C., seeking to quash the proceedings initiated against them in Crime No.120 of 2011 of Valigonda P.S., Nalgonda District.

Heard.

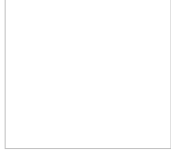
The offences alleged against the petitioners and other accused are punishable under Sections 498-A, 307 read with Section 34 of IPC and 3 and 4 of the Dowry Prohibition Act. Admittedly, the matter is still at the stage of investigation. Further, the complaint *prima facie* reveals specific allegations against the petitioners. Hence, this Court is not inclined to quash the proceedings against the petitioners, at this stage.

In any event, having considered the fact that the offence arose out of matrimonial disputes and if the petitioners are arrested at this stage, that will affect the future settlement, if any, between the parties, the police, Valigonda P.S., Nalgonda District, are hereby directed to complete the investigation without making arrest of the petitioners.

With the above direction, the Criminal Petition is disposed of. Miscellaneous petitions, if any, filed shall stand closed.

RAJA ELANGO, J

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