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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BANGALORE

DATED THIS THE 27th DAY OF JUNE 2012

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBHASH B ADI

CRL.P No.2484/2012

BETWEEN:

DR M HANUMANTHARAYAPPA AGED ABOUT 57 YEARS S/O MUDDAIAH RESIDING AT NO.39 HIG I MAIN II CROSS HASSAN

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI. C.R. GOPALASWAMY, ADV.)

AND:

- 1. SMT KALAMMA
 AGED ABOUT 50 YEARS
 W/O DEVARAJ
 RESIDING AT NO 114 LIG HOUSING
 BOARD COLONY HOLENARASIPURA TOWN
 HASSAN DISTRICT
- 2. STATE BY HASSAN CITY POLICE HASSAN REPRESENTED BY STATE PUBLICPROSECUTOR

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HIGH COURT BUILDING BANGALORE - 560001

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI. RAJA SUBRAMANYA BHAT, ADV. FOR R1 SRI. VIJAYAKUMAR MAJAGE, HCGP)

THIS CRIMINAL PETITION IS FILED UNDER SECTION 482 CR.P.C PRAYING TO QUASH THE CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS INITIATED BY THE LEARNED MAGISTRATE BY HIS ORDER DATED 03.10.2011 IN CRIMINAL CASE VIDE CRIME NO.42/2003 PENDING ON THE FILE OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE (JR.DN.), AND JMFC – II, HASSAN.

THIS PETITION COMING ON FOR ADMISSION THIS DAY, THE COURT MADE THE FOLLOWING:

ORDER

Petitioner has sought for quashing of the order dated 03.10.2011 in Crime NO. 42/2003 pending on the file of the Principal Civil Judge (Jr.Dn.) and JMFC – II, Hassan.

2. The police, on investigation have filed 'B' Report as against which the complainant filed a Protest Memo, based on the complaint, sworn statement and the material produced by the complainant, the learned judge has taken cognizance and

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also proceeded to issue process. As against the issue of process, this petition is filed.

3. Matter has been pending before the trial court since 2003. The justice would be met if the Magistrate is directed to expedite the matter as early as possible.

Accordingly the petition is disposed of directing the learned Magistrate to dispose of the case as early as possible not later than 9 months from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

Sd/-JUDGE

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