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# IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BANGALORE DATED THIS THE 01<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER, 2011

## BEFORE

### THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.V.PINTO

CRL.P.NO.6174 OF 2011

### BETWEEN

NARASIMHA MURTHY S/O GAJENDRAPPA AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS, R/AT # 43, 5T6H CROSS, CHANNEL ROAD, CHOLURAPALYA MAGADI ROAD, BENGALUR 560023.

... PETITIONER

(BY SRI. K.O. VIJAYAKUMAR, ADVOCATE)

# **AND**

STATE OF KARNATAKA MAGADI ROAD KPOLICE STATION BENGALURU REP. BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA BENGALURU.

... RESPONDENT

(BY SRI. VIJAYAKUMAR MAJAGE, HCGP)

THIS CRL.P FILED U/S.439 CR.P.C BY THE ADVOCATE FOR THE PETITIONER PRAYING THAT THIS HON'BLE COURT MAY BE PLEASED TO RELEASE THE



PETR. ON BAIL IN CR.NO.243/10 OF MAGADI ROAD P.S., BANGALORE, FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 498A AND 304B R/W SEC. 34 OF IPC. AND SEC. 3 AND 4 OF DP ACT.

THIS CRIMINAL PETITION IS COMING ON FOR ORDERS THIS DAY, THE COURT MADE THE FOLLOWING:

### ORDER

This petition is filed seeking bail in Crime No.243/2010 of Magadi Road Police Station, Bangalore registered on 20.09.2010 for the offences under Sections 498A and 304B IPC r/w. Section 34 IPC and Sections 3 and 4 of D.P.Act.

2. It is the case of the complainant who is the mother of the deceased Vani that the petitioner was married to the deceased 2 ½ years prior to the date of the incident and during the marriage, no dowry was given since it was a love marriage. However, after the marriage, at the demand of the petitioner, a sum of Rs.2,00,000/- was given by selling the land through one Prakash who is the maternal uncle of the deceased. It is further stated in the complaint that after such



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payment, the petitioner has pestered the deceased to bring another Rs.50,000/- and thereafter, at the time of naming ceremony of the child, the petitioner has asked the deceased to bring Rs.20,000/- cash and 25 grams of gold, which was also given to him. On 19.09.2010 at about 4.30 p.m., the deceased is alleged to have telephoned to Yogesh saying that she is scared of her husband, mother-in-law and brother-in-law. She has stated that she is afraid that she would be sent out of the house on that day. However, the said Yogesh and complainant had pacified her. Again after some time, the deceased informed that the petitioner is finishing her and that the petitioner has been forcibly making her to drink some substance and so saying she kept the phone and thereafter, the phone did not respond. It was later found that the deceased had died due to poisoning. The police have filed charge sheet for offence under Section 302 IPC apart from Section 304B IPC.



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- 3. Heard Sri K.Vijaya Kumar, learned Counsel for the petitioner and Sri Vijaya Kumar Majage, learned HCGP for the respondent State.
- 4. Learned HCGP opposes the bail application and submits that petition filed by the petitioner in Crl.P.No.4443/2011 has been dismissed by this Court.
- 5. I have gone through the materials on record. The offence is punishable with death or imprisonment for life hence, the petitioner is not entitled for bail. Accordingly, the petition is dismissed.

Sd/-JUDGE

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