

IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST
REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

In the matter of an application
under Article 140 of the
Constitution for a mandates in the
nature of Writ of Certiorari.

C.A. (Writ)Application No.

05/2019

1. H. G. Namal Prasanga

No. 23, Pahalarunagama B,

Warunagama

Wellawaya

PETITIONER

-Vs-

1. Pujitha Jayasundra

Inspector General of Police,

Police Headquarters,

Colombo

And 03 others

RESPONDENTS

BEFORE : **HON. JUSTICE SOBHITHA RAJAKARUNA**

HON. JUSTICE DHAMMIKA GANEPOLA

COUNSEL : Darshana Weraduwage for the Petitioner.

Parinda Ranasinghe, PC, ASG for the Respondents.

ARGUED & : 16th of February, 2021

DECIDED ON

HON. JUSTICE SOBHITHA RAJAKARUNA

This matter comes up for support today.

The learned Additional Solicitor General Mr. Parinda Ranasinghe, PC who appears for the Respondents reiterates the fact that the Hon. Attorney General has already instructed the Inspector General of Police to withdraw the charges filed against the Petitioner of this case in the Magistrate's Court of Wellawaya.

The learned Additional Solicitor General further states that the Hon. Attorney General has instructed the Inspector General of Police not to file any more charges against anybody based on the impugned gazette notification marked as X1.

In view of the submissions made by the learned Additional Solicitor General, the learned counsel for the Petitioner moves to withdraw his application.

Application for withdrawal is allowed.

In the circumstances, the application is pro-forma dismissed.

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL

HON. JUSTICE DHAMMIKA GANEPOLA

I agree.

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL

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