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Sr. No.	Title	Citation	Question involved	Held
1	Kunapareddy @ Nookala Shanka Balaji Versus Kunapareddy Swarna Kumari & Anr.	2016 (3) RCR (Cr) 315 (SC)	Misc.	In a complaint DV Act, court has power to allow amendment to complaint if amendment becomes necessary in view of subsequent events to avoid multiplicity of litigation. Further held there is no complete bar of amendment in the complaints in crl. Courts which are governed by CRPC though undoubtedly such power to allow amendment has to be exercised sparingly and with caution and under limited circumstances. Although proceeding under DV Act are governed by CRPC, yet it cannot be disputed that these proceedings are predominantly of civil nature.
2	Baljit Kumar vs State Of Punjab & Ors	CWP No.3560 of 2016 (O&M), DOD 04.05.2016 (P&H)	Qus: whether name of a step-father, on the asking of his step-son, can be entered in the Birth Certificate, replacing the name of the biological father?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Held - that correction in the Birth Certificate in the Register of Births and Deaths of the adoptive parents can be made if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Registrar, that too in accordance with the other terms and conditions mentioned in Section 15 of the Act but the entry of a step-father, replacing the name of the biological father in the Birth Certificate maintained under the Act, cannot be made.