

GR No.1146 of 2016

21.04.2023

The accused persons namely, Srimanta Mandal, Nityananda Mandal, Guru @ Gurupada Patra, Arun @ Arjun Mandal, Basu @ Basudev Badoei, Rabin Mistri, Khokan @ Aswini Das, Pagal Das, Goura Mandal, Durga Mistri, and Dulal Mandal are present in the court and file hazira. Learned Special P.P. and the learned defence counsel are present. After hearing submission of the learned counsels appearing for the accused persons and the prosecution and after consideration of the materials on record and documents submitted herewith, I find that there is sufficient ground for presuming that the accused persons have committed the offence punishable U/S.143/341/323/294 /506/354/149 of IPC and U/S.3(1)(x) of SC & ST (PA) Act. Accordingly, the charge is framed vide separate sheet. The contents of the charge is read over and explained to the accused persons to which they pleaded not guilty and claimed for trial.

On being asked the learned defence counsel refused to admit any documents relied upon by the prosecution under section 294 of the Cr.P.C.

At this stage, the learned Special P.P. orally prays to issue summons to the prosecution witnesses. The B.C. is directed to call for the M.O. and C.E. report, if any and to issue summons to the C.S. witnesses No.1, 2 and 3 for recording of their evidence on 08.06.2023 and C.S. witness No.4, 5 and 6 for recording of their evidence on 09.06.2023.

The accused persons are directed to remain present in the court on the date fixed.

Dictated.

**Addl. Sessions Judge-Cum-
Special Judge, Kendrapara**