



HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

CRA No. 2627 of 2025

Anand Soni @ Sonu Soni & Another

versus

State of Chhattisgarh

Order Sheet

15/01/2026	Heard Mr. Pankaj Kamlesh, learned counsel for the appellants. Also heard Mr. Shailendra Sharma, learned Panel Lawyer, appearing for the State/respondent. The matter is listed today for orders on default. The Registry has pointed out a defect on non filing of fresh affidavit. Learned counsel for the appellants submits that he has removed the said default by filing fresh affidavit through covering memo dated 14.01.2026,

which is taken on record.

In view of the above, the present appeal is admitted.

Since Mr. Shailendra Sharma, learned Panel Lawyer, has already entered appearance on behalf of the respondent/State, issuance of fresh notice to the respondent is dispensed with.

The State may file its reply/objection to I.A. No.1 of 2025 (application for suspension of sentence and grant of bail) within a period of two weeks. The State is also directed to inform this Court regarding the criminal antecedents of the appellant within the said period.

Let the Trial Court Record be summoned within six weeks.

The paper-book shall be prepared and filed in accordance with the provisions of the High Court Rules, 2007.

List this matter thereafter for consideration on I.A. No. 1 of 2025 (application for suspension of sentence and grant of bail) along with CRA No. 105 of 2026.

**Sd/-
(Ravindra Kumar Agrawal)
Judge**

**Sd/-
(Ramesh Sinha)
Chief Justice**