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HIGH COURT OF MEGHALAYA
AT SHILLONG

Crl.A. No. 6 of 2026

Date of Order: 18.02.2026

Shri. Sushanto Hajong	Vs.	State of Meghalaya
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Coram:

Hon'ble Mr. Justice W. Diengdoh, Judge

Hon'ble Mr. Justice B. Bhattacharjee, Judge

Appearance:

For the Petitioner/Appellant(s) : Ms. S. Nongsiej, Adv.

For the Respondent(s) : Mr. A.S. Dey, GA.

Heard Ms. S. Nongsiej, learned counsel for the appellant, who has submitted that this appeal has been preferred by the appellant, being aggrieved and dissatisfied by the impugned judgment and order of sentence dated 26.11.2025 passed by the Court of the learned Special Judge (POCSO), South West Khasi Hills District, Mawkyrwat in Special (POCSO) Case No. 17 of 2021 under Section 5(j)(ii)/6 of the POCSO Act, wherein he was directed to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a term of 10 years with fine of ₹ 15,000/- (Rupees fifteen thousand) only, and in default thereof, to undergo simple imprisonment for 2(two) months.

Mr. A.S. Dey, learned GA appearing on behalf of the State respondent has no objection to the admission of the appeal.

Upon hearing the learned counsels for the parties, and on perusal of the memo of appeal, we find that this appeal is fit to be admitted.

Accordingly, on the appeal being admitted, the Trial Court records are hereby called for. On receipt of the said records, the appellant is directed to prepare the paper book.

List this matter after 3(three) weeks.

(B. Bhattacharjee)
Judge

(W. Diengdoh)
Judge

Meghalaya
18.02.2026
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