



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

RSA No.85 of 2026

Lakhesingh Majhi

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Appellant

Represented By Adv. -
Sourav Suman Bhuyan

-Versus-

Sasi Majhi & Others

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Respondents

Represented By Adv. –

Mr. S.K. Khamari, Adv.
On behalf of Mr. S.K.
Joshi, Adv.

CORAM:

MR. JUSTICE ANANDA CHANDRA BEHERA

ORDER

25.03.2026

I.A. No.156/2026

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01. 1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.

2. This I.A. has been filed on behalf of the appellant in RSA No.85 of 2026 praying for exempting him from payment of Court Fees, as the appellant belongs to Scheduled Tribe community having his sub-caste as Gond.

3. In pursuance to the proof of the caste of the appellant as Gond, the appellant has filed the Caste Certificate issued by the Revenue Officer on dated 15.01.2026, from which it is evident that, the appellant in the second appeal vide RSA No.85 of 2026 belongs to Scheduled Tribe community.

4. So, in view of the provisions of law envisaged in Section 35 of the Court Fees Act, 1860 and the notification of the Government of Odisha, he (the petitioner in this I.A. and appellant in



the second appeal vide RSA No.85 of 2026) is exempted from paying the Court Fees.

5. As such, the L.A. filed by the petitioner is allowed and disposed of finally.

(ANANDA CHANDRA BEHERA)
Judge

R.S.A. No.85/2026

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02. 1. Learned counsel for the appellant and the learned counsel for the respondents are present.

2. This 2nd Appeal be listed after one week for hearing on the point of admission under Order 41, Rule 11 of the CPC, 1908.

(ANANDA CHANDRA BEHERA)
Judge

Rati Ranjan