



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CRLMC No. 637 of 2026

Tiki @ Jyotiranjana Rout

..... *Petitioner(s)*
Mr. Chitta Ranjan Sahu, Adv.

-Versus-

State of Odisha & Anr.

..... *Opposite Party(s)*
Ms. Sarita Moharana, ASC

CORAM:

DR. JUSTICE SANJEEB K PANIGRAHI

ORDER

27.02.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through hybrid arrangement.
2. Heard learned counsel for the parties.
3. This application under Section 482 Cr.P.C. has been filed to quash the order of cognizance dated 04.10.2007 passed by the learned J.M.F.C., Baramba in G.R. Case No.31 of 2007.
4. Learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that on the intervention of local gentries and family members, the matter has been amicably settled between the parties. He further submits that in the meantime, both the Petitioner and the victim have got married separately and each of them are leading happy conjugal lives. Hence, the continuation of the criminal proceeding is likely to affect their prospects for a peaceful life.



5. Be that as it may, this Court is of the view that the marriage is not a ground to seal any kind of criminal activities, even marriage between the victim and the Petitioner or marriage separately. These facts are not going to seal the criminal act committed by the Petitioner. Accordingly, this Court is not inclined interfere with the cognizance order dated 04.10.2007 passed by the learned J.M.F.C., Baramba in G.R. Case No.31 of 2007.
6. Accordingly, the CRLMC is dismissed.

(Dr. Sanjeeb K Panigrahi)
Judge