



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CRLMC No.595 of 2026

Jagannath Bugudi & Petitioner(s)
Ors.

Mr. Ashutosh Mishra, Adv.

-versus-

State of Odisha & Anr. Opposite Party(s)
Mr. Udit Ranjan Jena, AGA

CORAM:

HON'BLE DR.JUSTICE SANJEEB K PANIGRAHI

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01. 1. This matter is taken up through hybrid arrangement.
2. In filing this CRLMC, the Petitioners have prayed for quashing the entire Criminal Proceeding initiated against them vide Baliapal P.S. Case No.127 dated 28.05.2025 corresponding to Spl. Case No.158/2025 pending before the learned Special Court under the POCSO Act, Balasore.
3. Heard.
4. Issue Notice.
5. Learned counsel for the State waives of notice on behalf of the Opposite Party No.1. Let an extra copy of the brief be served on him within three working days hence. He is directed to file reply within two weeks from the date of receipt of the brief.



6. Notice be issued to the Opposite Party No.2 by Speed Post with A.D. making it returnable by 10th March, 2026. Requisites for issuance of notice shall be filed within three working days hence.

7. List this matter on 11th March, 2026.

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8. Issue notice as above.

9. Accept one set of process fee.

10. As an interim measure, it is directed that further proceeding in Spl. Case No.158/2025 arising out of Baliapal P.S. Case No.127 dated 28.05.2025 pending before the learned Special Court under the POCSO Act, Balasore shall remain stayed till the next date of listing of this matter.

(Dr. Sanjeeb K Panigrahi)
Judge

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