



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK  
CRLMP No. 297 of 2026

*Dipak Rout*

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*Petitioner*

Mr. Anupam Rath, Advocate

-versus-

*1.State of Odisha*

*2. Superintendent of Police, Jajpur*

*3. IIC, Bari Ramchandrapur, Jajpur* .....

*4. Srikanta Patra @ Babua*

*Opposite Parties*

Mr. A. K. Apat, Additional  
Government Advocate

**CORAM:**

**HON'BLE MISS JUSTICE SAVITRI RATHO**

**ORDER**

**20.03.2026**

**Order No.**

02.

(Through hybrid Mode)

1. Instructions dated 20.03.2026 of the IIC, Bari Ramchandrapur Police Station has been received. It has become necessary to quote paragraph 2 of the instructions as he has prayed for a short adjournment to submit up-to-date case diary before this Court.

*“Basing on the report, the then IIC Insp. J.M. Sethy registered Bari Ramchandrapur P.S. Case No. 51 Dt. 04.02.2026 U/s 103(1)/3(5) BNS and took up investigation. The said Investigating Officer was transferred from this Police Station on 10.02.2026, and I joined this Police Station on 24.02.2026. However, the I.O. has not yet handed over the charge of investigation along with the case records and connected papers of the case. On contacting the then I.O., as she is busy in training, she will provide the same vary soon.”*

2. From this, it is apparent that although the IO has been transferred from the Police Station since 10.02.2026 and more than



one month has elapsed in the meanwhile, she has not handed over the charge of the investigation or the case record to the present IIC, Bari Ramachandrapur Police Station.

3. List this matter on 24.03.2026.
4. As the IIC, Bari Ramachandrapur Police Station has expressed the reasons for her inability to send the instructions, the Opposite Party No.2 -SP, Jajpur is directed to ensure that the instructions and case diary in this case reach this Court by the next date i.e. 24.03.2026.

**(Savitri Ratho)**  
**Judge**

*Subhalaxmi*