



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
TRPCRL No.21 of 2026

Anubhab Pradhan **Petitioner**

Mr. A.S. Mishra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha and **Opp. Parties**
another

Mr. D.N. Lenka, AGA

CORAM:
JUSTICE MRUGANKA SEKHAR SAHOO

ORDER
06.03.2026
(Hybrid Mode)

Order No.

01.

1. The learned Additional Government Advocate refers to proviso to sub-section (2) of Section 407 of the Cr.P.Cr. (since repealed and substituted by pari materia provision Section 447 in BNSS, 2023) which read thus:

“407. Power of High Court to transfer cases and appeals.—

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Provided that no application shall lie to the High Court for transferring a case from one Criminal Court to another Criminal Court in the same sessions division, unless an application for such transfer has been made to the Sessions Judge and rejected by him.”

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner seeks and has adjournment.



3. The matter shall be listed in the week commencing 23.03.2026.

(Mruganka Sekhar Sahoo)
Judge

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