



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CRLMP No. 376 of 2026

Pravati Sethi

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Petitioner

Mr. Satyajit Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

***1. State of Odisha, represented through
its Commissioner -cum- Secretary to
Govt., Dept of Home, Bhubaneswar***

***2. Director General of Police, Odisha,
Cuttack***

3. Superintendent of Police, Balasore

***4. Inspector-in-Charge, Soro Police
Station, Balasore***

5. Niranjana Samal

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Opp. Parties

Mr. Ashok Kumar Apat,
Additional Government Advocate

CORAM:

HON'BLE MISS JUSTICE SAVITRI RATHO

ORDER

25.03.2026

Order No.

(Through hybrid Mode)

01. 1. This CRLMP has been filed for a direction to the Opposite Party No.4 – I.I.C., Soro Police Station to conduct an enquiry in connection with Soro P.S. Case No. 129 of 2026 corresponding to C.T. Case No. 213 of 2026 in fair and impartial manner.
2. Mr. Satyajit Mohapatra, learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that as the I.I.C., Soro Police Station is not taking any steps to investigate into the case, the accused person has threatened the Petitioner to withdraw the FIR, failing which he will murder her husband by using antisocials. Although the Petitioner has informed the Opposite Parties about the threats,



but no action has been taken by the Opposite Party No.4 against the accused who is moving freely in the locality.

3. In view of the fact that the FIR has been registered on 10.02.2026, it is presumed the investigation must be in progress. The CRLMP is disposed of granting liberty to the Petitioner to approach the S.P., Balasore if he has any grievance regarding investigation of the case

4. Urgent certified copy of this order be granted on proper application.

(Savitri Ratho)
Judge

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