



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CRLA No. 269 of 2026

Dipu @ Dipu Ranjan Nayak

..... *Appellant(s)*
Mr. Devashis Panda, Adv.

-Versus-

State of Odisha & Anr.

..... *Respondent (s)*
Mr. Raj Bhusan Dash, ASC

CORAM:

DR. JUSTICE SANJEEB K PANIGRAHI

ORDER

23.03.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through hybrid arrangement.
2. The Appellant has filed this appeal challenging the judgment of conviction and order of sentence dated 17.02.2026 passed by the learned Ad-hoc Addl. District and Sessions Judge, F.T.S.C-II, Cuttack in Spl. G.R. Case No.163 of 2022.
3. Heard.
4. Admit.
5. Issue notice to the Respondent No.2/Victim by Speed Post with A.D., making it returnable on or before 13th April, 2026. Requisites shall be filed within three working days hence.
6. List this matter on 13th April, 2026.
7. In the meantime, LCR be called for.



I.A. No.718 of 2026

8. Heard.
9. There shall be stay on realization of fine imposed against the Appellant vide judgment dated 17.02.2026 passed by the learned Ad-hoc Addl. District and Sessions Judge, F.T.S.C-II, Cuttack in Spl. G.R. Case No.163 of 2022 pending finalization of the Criminal Appeal.
10. The I.A. is accordingly disposed of.

(Dr. Sanjeeb K Panigrahi)
Judge