



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

Sarfuddin Khan & others
(In CRLA No.1459 of 2025)
Mokim Khan
(In CRLA No.397 of 2025)

... ***Appellants***

Mr. S.Mohapatra, Advocate
(in CRLA No.1459 of 2025)
Mr. M.K.Chand, Advocate
(in CRLA No.397 of 2025)

-versus-

State of Odisha & another ***...*** ***Respondents***

Mr.S.C.Pradhan, Addl. PP

CORAM:
JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

ORDER(ORAL)
15.01.2026

Order No.
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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical Mode).
2. Heard. Since the appellants-petitioners herein seek for bail for commission of one of the offences under SC & ST (PoA) Act, the victim is required to be noticed before taking up the hearing in the matter, in view of the Section 15-A(5) of SC & ST (PoA) Act, 1989.
3. For the purpose of notice to the victim in terms of the above Act, let the copy of the appeal memos received by the learned counsel for the State be sent to the victim by Mr. S.C.Pradhan, learned Additional Public Prosecutor through concerned Police Station indicating therein the probable date of hearing.



4. After hearing the parties, this Court considers it proper to go through the Social Investigation Report(SIR) and Social Background Report(SBR) of the appellant-cum-CICL in CRLA No. 397 of 2025. Accordingly, the learned State counsel is requested to obtain the SIR and SBR of the appellant in CRLA No. 397 of 2025 by next date.
5. List both the matters on 16th February, 2026.

(G. Satapathy)
Judge

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