



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CRLMC No.1705 of 2026

Dolly Rani Sahoo

....

Petitioner(s)

Mr. Surjya Narayan Sahu, Adv.

versus-

State of Odisha
(Vigilance)

....

Opposite Party(s)

Mr. Niranjana Moharana, SC
for the Department of Vigilance

CORAM:

HON'BLE DR.JUSTICE SANJEEB K PANIGRAHI

ORDER

22.06.2026

Order No.

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1. This matter is taken up through hybrid arrangement.
2. By filing the present CRLMC, the Petitioner has prayed for waiving the condition No.(i) imposed by the learned Special Judge (Vigilance), Jeypore in order dated 20.12.2023 passed in VGR No.20/2012(V) vide Annexure-1.
3. Heard.
4. Learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that though the Petitioner is a resident of Bhubaneswar, the Vigilance Case instituted against her is going on at Jeypore, which is more than 500 kilometers from Bhubaneswar. Therefore, it is difficult on her part to attend the said proceeding on each and every date. He further contends that the Petitioner may be permitted to appear before the

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learned Court in *seisin* over the matter without fail as and when her physical presence is required. Hence, he prays for waiving the condition No.(i) from the impugned order dated 20.12.2023. The condition No.(i) is reflected herein below:-

“(i) That she shall appear before this Court on each date of posting till its conclusion without fail.”

5. Regard being had to the submissions made by the learned counsel for the parties at the Bar, the condition No.(i) as reproduced above is modified to the extent that the Petitioner shall appear before the learned Court in *seisin* over the matter either physically or through video conferencing mode as per rule meant for the said purpose, depending upon the nature of the hearing of the case.
6. The present CRLMC is, accordingly, disposed of.

(Dr. Sanjeeb K Panigrahi)
Judge

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