



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
CRLMC No.2033 of 2025

Ashish Kumar Swain

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Petitioner

Represented by Adv. –
Mr. Rabi Narayan Panda

-versus-

State of Odisha

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Opposite Parties

Represented by Adv. –
Mr. S.K. Parhi, ASC

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADITYA KUMAR MOHAPATRA

ORDER

23.03.2026

Order No.

I.A. No.800 of 2026

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid mode.
2. This interlocutory application has been filed by the Petitioner seeking extension of time to surrender before the trial court vide order dated 20.06.2025 passed by this Court in the CRLMC application.
3. The above noted CRLMC application has been disposed of vide order dated 20.06.2025 with a direction to the Petitioner to surrender before the trial court and move his regular bail application. While passing order dated 20.06.2025 permitting the Petitioner to surrender before the trial court, this Court had granted interim protection.
4. Learned counsel for the Petitioner, at this juncture, contended that due to injured condition of the Petitioner, he could not surrender before the trial court within time. As such, learned counsel for the Petitioner sought for extension of time.
5. Taking into consideration the aforesaid submission, the time to surrender of the Petitioner before the trial court is extended by a further



period four weeks subject to deposit of a sum of Rs.500/- (Rupees five hundred) in the Advocates' Welfare Fund of the Orissa High Court Bar Association within fifteen days hence and furnishing money receipt thereof as proof of deposit. In the event the Petitioner surrenders before the trial court within the aforesaid time, the direction contained in para-6 of order dated 20.06.2025 shall be given effect to with the modification that the time to surrender of the Petitioner shall be counted from today.

6. It is further stated by the learned counsel for the Petitioner that there exists a discrepancy with regard to the court before which the matter is pending.

7. Considering such submission, the court name, as has been indicated in paragraphs-3 and 6, is modified to the extent the same be read as "court in seisin over the matter".

8. The I.A. is disposed of accordingly.

(Aditya Kumar Mohapatra)
Judge

Debasis