



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CRLA No.485 of 2026

Chandra Sekhar Karjee

Appellant

Represented By Adv.-
Mr. B.R. Tripathy, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

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Respondent

Represented By Adv.-
Mr. Jateswar Nayak, AGA

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANASH RANJAN PATHAK

AND

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SASHIKANTA MISHRA

ORDER

22.06.2026

(Hybrid mode)

Order No.

02.

1. Heard Mr. B.R. Tripathy, learned counsel appearing for the appellant and Mr. Jateswar Nayak, learned Additional Government Advocate appearing for the respondent-State.

2. This criminal appeal has been filed by the convicted accused-appellant against the judgment and order of conviction dated 11th May, 2026/18th May, 2026, passed by the learned Sessions Judge, Gajapati, Paralakhemundi in S.T. Case No.67 of 2023, arising out of Kashinagar P.S. Case No.60 of 2023 dated 25.05.2023. By the said judgment, the appellant has been convicted under Sections 302/201 of the Indian Penal Code and sentenced to undergo imprisonment for life with a fine of Rs.15,000/- (rupees fifteen thousand), in default, to further rigorous imprisonment for a period of six months for the offence



under Section 302 of IPC and to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of two months for the offence under Section 201 of IPC and both the sentences were directed to run concurrently.

3. Aggrieved by the said judgment and order of conviction dated 11th May, 2026/18th May, 2026, the appellant has preferred this statutory appeal under Section 374(2) of Cr.P.C., 1973, corresponding to Section 415 of B.N.S.S., 2023.

4. Admit this appeal.

5. Call for the scanned copy of the Trial Court Records of S.T. Case No.67 of 2023, arising out of Kashinagar P.S. Case No.60 of 2023 from the Court of the learned Sessions Judge, Gajapati, Paralakhemundi.

(Manash Ranjan Pathak)
Judge

(Sashikanta Mishra)
Judge

I.A. No.1476 of 2026

- 03.**
- 1.** Heard learned counsel appearing for the parties.
 - 2.** There shall be stay of realization of the fine imposed on the appellant-petitioner by the learned Sessions Judge, Gajapati, Paralakhemundi vide judgment dated 11th May, 2026/18th May, 2026 passed in S.T. Case No.67 of 2023, arising out of Kashinagar P.S. Case No.60 of 2023, pending disposal of the appeal.



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

(Manash Ranjan Pathak)
Judge

(Sashikanta Mishra)
Judge

I.A. No.1477 of 2026

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1. This is an application for bail.
 2. Learned Counsel for the State shall apprise the Court on the next date of listing regarding the criminal antecedents of the convict-appellant as well as his conduct in jail.
 3. By the next date of listing, learned counsel for the State shall also obtain the scanned copy of the relevant Case Diary as well as the Custody Certificate of the appellant.
 4. List this matter after receipt of the scanned copy of the Trial Court Records.

(Manash Ranjan Pathak)
Judge

(Sashikanta Mishra)
Judge

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