



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CRLREV No.444 of 2025

Rabindra Kumar Panigrahi **Petitioner**
Mr. P. C. Jena, Advocate

-Versus-

State of Odisha **Opposite party**
Mr. P.K. Ray, AGA

CORAM:
MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAIK

ORDER
30.07.2025

Order No.
01.

1. Heard Mr. Jena, learned counsel for the petitioner.
2. Instant revision is filed by the petitioner challenging the impugned order dated 4th July, 2025 at Annexure-4 in S.T. No.153 of 2024 of learned Additional Sessions Judge, Aska, Ganjam arising out of Badagada P.S. Case No.179 of 2021 corresponding to G.R. Case No.791 of 2021, whereby, an application under Section 227 Cr.P.C. moved by him seeking discharge was declined.
3. Referring to Annexure-3 series, it is submitted by Mr. Jena, learned counsel for the petitioner that there is no allegation attributed against the petitioner and the victim committed suicide due to health condition and hence, chargesheet could not have been filed, however, learned court below declined discharge of the petitioner rejecting the application under Section 227 Cr.P.C. Considering the same, the Court, taking into account the materials on record and



submission as above, is inclined to consider the response of the State.

4. Hence, it is ordered.

5. With the issuance and acceptance of notice today, State is directed to respond on the plea of the petitioner. The State is also requested to collect the chargesheet and all relevant documents filed therewith for perusal of the Court along with any such forensic laboratory report in respect of suicidal note of the victim.

6. List on 3rd September, 2025 for hearing and orders.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge

02.

I.A. No.654 of 2025

1. Heard.

2. Instant petition is filed for interim orders.

3. Since it is claimed that the petitioner is not involved in the alleged death of the victim wife, who committed suicide and such submission is with reference to a suicidal note at Annexure-3, this Court, as an interim measure, pending receipt of the chargesheet and other documents along with forensic laboratory report and keeping in view of the allegations made in the FIR at Annexure-1, is inclined to stay the further proceeding pending before the learned court below.



4. Accordingly, it is ordered. Consequently, the proceeding in S.T. No.153 of 2024 pending in the file of learned Additional Sessions Judge, Aska, Ganjam is directed to be stayed till the next date.
5. List on the date fixed for further orders.
6. Urgent copy of this order be issued as per rules.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge

Rojina