



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

MATA No. 339 of 2024

B. Suman Kumar

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Appellant

Represented by –
Mr. Rajesh Tripathy, Advocate.

-Versus-

Sasmita Rani Panda

....

Respondent

Represented by Adv.–
Mr. Goutam Mukherji, Sr. Advocate

CORAM:

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANASH RANJAN PATHAK
AND
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MRUGANKA SEKHAR SAHOO**

ORDER

01.08.2025

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(By Hybrid Mode)

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1. Office Note has been put up by the Registry in terms of the earlier order dated 22.07.2025. It is indicated that, Registry has intimated the Court's order to the Manager of the Federal Bank, Balasore, but the response is yet to be received.
 2. The Appellant is present in person. Today Mr. Rajesh Tripathy, learned counsel appears for the Appellant. Since Mr. Tripathy was not appearing in this case earlier, the Court requests him to go through the order dated 22.07.2025. In response, Mr. Tripathy submits that he has already gone through that order, particularly paragraphs 3, 4 & 5, and he requests that the Appellant may be granted further time.
 3. Registry shall issue reminder to the Manager, Federal Bank, Balasore for compliance of the order dated 22.07.2025.



4. Certain issues have cropped up, which are not the actual subject matter of this appeal. It is submitted by the learned Senior Counsel Mr. Goutam Mukherji, that the Appellant had requested the wife in the marriage for a meeting. The meeting between the Appellant and the Respondent was also in the chambers of Mr. Mukherji, learned Senior Counsel. Certain assurances have been given by the Appellant-husband to the Respondent-wife.

Mr. Tripathy, learned counsel is also aware of the said assurance and he submits that the Appellant is sincere about returning the gold ornaments he had retained, which is the exclusive property of the wife. The matter shall be considered further on the next date.

6. As prayed for, list this appeal on 13th August, 2025.

7. It is further clarified that, if any property or any money or any other 'Stridhana' is returned to the wife-Respondent, list of the same shall be filed by making affidavit, giving the details therein before this Court and the materials like ornaments / gold, etc. have to be produced before this Court for taking cognizance of such return.

(Manash Ranjan Pathak)
Judge

(Mruganka Sekhar Sahoo)
Judge