



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CRLREV No.717 of 2025

Baruna Behera

..... Petitioner

Mr. J. Sahoo, Advocate

-Versus-

State of Odisha

..... Opposite Parties

Mr. P.K. Sahoo, ASC

CORAM:

MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAIAK

ORDER

13.11.2025

Order No.

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1. Heard Mr. Sahoo, learned counsel for the petitioner.

2. With reference to the victim's statement recorded under Section 164 Cr.P.C. the submission is that no offence under Section 376(AB) IPC read with Section 6 of the POCSO Act is made out, which is seriously objected to by Mr. Sahoo, learned ASC for the State referring to the statements of the material witnesses including the informant.

3. The case diary with the statements of the witnesses recorded under Section 161 Cr.P.C. is produced by the Mr. Sahoo, learned ASC for the Court's perusal. In course of hearing, Mr. Sahoo, learned ASC for the State submits that he needs to take instructions to ascertain whether the trial is in progress. In such view of the matter and considering the above submission, hearing of the matter is deferred.



4. List on 10th December, 2025 for hearing and orders.
5. Interim order dated 25th September, 2025 in I.A. No. 1070 of 2025 is hereby recalled in order to enable the learned Special Court to proceed with the trial and the same be duly intimated forthwith.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge

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