



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
CRLMC No.4416 of 2025

Soumya Ranjan Kanungo

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Petitioner

Represented By Adv. –
Mr. J. Panda

-versus-

Priya Ranjan Behera

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Opp. Parties

Represented By Adv. –

CORAM:
THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADITYA KUMAR
MOHAPATRA

ORDER
28.10.2025

Order No.

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual /Physical Mode).
2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner. Perused the application as well as the prayer made therein.
3. Learned counsel for the Petitioner at the outset contended that challenging the validity of demand notice, the Petitioner has approached this Court in the present application. He further contended that in the demand notice the cheque amount has not been specifically mentioned. On such ground learned counsel for the Petitioner stated that no proper demand notice has been made specifying the amount due under the dishonoured cheque, and on such basis no proceeding under Section 138 of N.I. Act could have been initiated.



4. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the Petitioner, I am inclined to issue notice to the sole Opposite Party.

5. Issue notice to the sole Opposite Party by Speed Post with A.D. by fixing a short returnable date. Requisites be filed within three working days.

6. List this matter in the week commencing 01.12.2025.

I.A. No.2985 of 2025

7. Heard.

8. As an interim measure, it is directed that on an application being filed by the Petitioner seeking adjournment before the learned trial court, learned trial court shall do well to adjourn ICC Case No.198 of 2023 for a period of six weeks.

9. Issue urgent certified copy of this order as per Rules.

(A.K. Mohapatra)
Judge

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