



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

RPFAM No. 411 of 2025

Rakesh Kumar Dash ***Petitioner***

Mr. Bharat Jalli, Advocate

-versus-

Kumkum Sarangi ***Opposite Party***

CORAM:

JUSTICE MRUGANKA SEKHAR SAHOO

ORDER

28.01.2026

(Hybrid Mode)

Order No.

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1. Petitioner-husband is before this Court challenging the judgment dated 13.11.2025 passed by the learned Judge, Family Court, Rourkela in Criminal Proceeding No. 20 of 2024. By the said judgment the learned Judge, Family Court has allowed the petition filed by the opposite party-petitioner wife in the marriage. However, instead of granting ₹30,000/- per month as sought for, has granted ₹15,000/- per month as maintenance.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner was heard at length. He was requested to show before this Court for exercising the appellate jurisdiction under section 19(4) of the Family Courts Act, the scope of interference by this Court.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner has adjournment to obtain instruction as to the amount that would be paid by the petitioner for challenging the judgment which is in the nature of a money decree.



4. List in the week commencing 9.2.2026.

(Mruganka Sekhar Sahoo)
Judge

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