

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
[CIRCUIT BENCH AT PORT BLAIR]

FAT/2/2025
IA No: CAN/1/2025, CAN/2/2026

With

FAT/3/2025

Shri S. Palaniappan

Vs.

Shri Vellaswamy

Mr. Arul Prasanth ... for the petitioner

Mr. K. M. B. Jayapal ... for the respondent

April 20, 2026
[SR]
Item Nos.2 & 3

1. It is pointed by learned counsel for the respondents that in view of the decision of the Larger Bench of this Court, the District Judge of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands has pecuniary jurisdiction to take up all first appeals arising out of suits filed in the Islands.

2. Accordingly, let these matters go out of the list and the files be sent to the learned District Judge, A & N Islands. Liberty is given to the parties to mention the matter before the learned District Judge for the purpose of early hearing of the connected applications.

(Sabyasachi Bhattacharyya, J.)

(Smita Das De, J.)