



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK**  
**ABLAPL No.1399 of 2026**

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| <b>Amir Kumar Baral</b> | ....     | <b>Petitioner</b>            |
|                         |          | Mr. T.P. Mohapatra, Advocate |
|                         | -Versus- |                              |
| <b>State of Odisha</b>  | ....     | <b>Opposite Party</b>        |
|                         |          | Miss B.K. Sahu, AGA          |

**CORAM:**  
**MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAIK**

**ORDER**  
**25.02.2026**

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**No.**

01.           1.           Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and State.
2.           Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 BNSS by the petitioner seeking pre-arrest bail in connection with Brahmagiri P.S. Case No.408 of 2025 corresponding to G.R.G.N. Case No.484 of 2025 pending in the court of learned Nyayadhikari Gramya Nyayalaya, Brahmagiri on the grounds stated.
3.           Perused the FIR as at Annexure-1. The petitioner had earlier approached this Court in ABLAPL No.12176 of 2025 disposed of on 14<sup>th</sup> November, 2025 declining him pre-arrest bail. It is submitted to the Court by learned counsel for the petitioner that in the meantime, the chargesheet is filed and one of the accused persons has been granted bail, hence, parity should be extended. Recorded the objection of the State. It is submitted by learned counsel for the State that petitioner is not entitled to pre-arrest bail in view of the rejection order dated



14<sup>th</sup> November, 2025 at Flag-A. But considering the changed circumstances with filing of the chargesheet and release of the co-accused, namely, Trilochan Mohapatra in BLAPL No.13350 of 2025 by order dated 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2026, this Court is not inclined to direct the petitioner to surrender before the learned court below seeking regular bail with the direction hereinbelow.

4. Accordingly, it is ordered.

5. In the result, the ABLAPL is disposed of with the direction as aforesaid. It is further directed that in the event, the petitioner surrenders within a fortnight from today before learned Nyayadhikari Gramya Nyayalaya, Brahmagiri in connection with Brahmagiri P.S. Case No.408 of 2025 corresponding to G.R.G.N. Case No.484 of 2025 and moves an application for regular bail, it shall be duly considered and in case rejected during the first hour, he shall approach the learned Sessions Court for orders on the same day during the second hour pleading parity.

6. Issue urgent certified copy of this order as per rules.

**(R.K. Pattanaik)**  
**Judge**