



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.1455 of 2026

Binaya Kumar Bishi

....

Petitioner

Mr. S.K. Dalai, Advocate

-Versus-

State of Odisha

....

Opposite Party

Mrs. Siva Mohanty, ASC

CORAM:

MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAİK

ORDER

20.02.2026

I.A. No.295 of 2026

Order No.

01.

1. Heard learned counsel for the respective parties.
2. Instant I.A. is filed by the petitioner for interim orders in the ABLAPL.
3. In fact, 2(b) C.C. Case No.01 of 2026 is registered against the petitioner along with others, wherein, he apprehends arrest. According to Mr. Dalai, learned counsel for the petitioner, the petitioner is a Forest Ranger and posted within the jurisdiction of Jhirpani Section under Belghar Forest Range. It is submitted that the petitioner has been summoned by the I.O. in the meantime and refers to Annexure-2 to the I.A. Considering the submission as above and response of learned counsel for the State, this Court is inclined to protect the



petitioner against immediate arrest at least for a period of six weeks, however, with a direction to cooperate the I.O. in the investigation in response to the summons issued by him.

4. I.A. is accordingly disposed of.
5. Issue urgent certified copy as per rule.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge

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02. 1. List this matter on usual course.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge

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