



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
BLAPL No.1498 of 2026

Debasish Prasad Ray ... ***Petitioner***

Mr. K.K. Mukhi, Advocate

-versus-

State of Orissa ... ***Opposite Party***

Mr. R.B. Mishra, Addl. PP

CORAM: JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

Order No.

ORDER(ORAL)25.03.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical Mode).
2. This is a bail application U/S.483 of BNSS by the petitioner for grant of bail in connection with Phulbani Sadar PS Case No. 11 of 2026 corresponding to CT Case No.19 of 2026 pending in the file of learned Special Judge, Phulbani, for commission of offences punishable U/S.20(b)(ii)(C)/25/27 of NDPS Act, on the allegation of transporting 133Kgs and 500Grams of Contraband Ganja in a Innova Car bearing Regd. No.OD-01AH-6883.
3. Heard, Mr. Kailash Kumar Mukhi, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. R.B. Mishra, learned Addl. PP in the matter and perused the record.
4. After having considered the rival submissions and taking into consideration the nature and gravity of the offence as alleged against the petitioner vis-à-vis the accusation sought to be brought against him and regard being had to the alleged recovery and seizure of



133Kgs and 500Grams of contraband ganja, which is well above the commercial quantity from the vehicle allegedly in occupation of the petitioner and his consequent failure to satisfy the conditions of Sec.37 of NDPS Act, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage.

5. Hence, the bail application of the petitioner stands rejected. Accordingly, the BLAPL stands disposed of. A soft copy of the order be immediately communicated to the learned trial Court.

(G. Satapathy)
Judge

Jayakrushna