



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
BLAPL No.1462 of 2026

Jatin Khara & Others

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Petitioners

Mr. S.K. Lenka, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

...

Opposite Party

Mr. P. Satpathy, Addl. PP

CORAM: JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

ORDER(ORAL) : 25.03.2026

Order No.

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical Mode).
2. Mr. Susanta Kumar Lenka, learned counsel for the petitioners by filing a memo prays to not press the bail application of petitioner Nos.1 to 4 namely Jatin Khara, Parami Srikant, Biju Kausalya and Karan Nag and accordingly, the bail application of the petitioner Nos.1 to 4 namely Jatin Khara, Parami Srikant, Biju Kausalya and Karan Nag stands disposed of as not pressed and the present bail application is only confined to petitioner No.5 Ajit Majhi.
3. This is an application U/S.483 of BNSS by the petitioner No.5-Ajit Majhi for grant of bail in connection with Khurda Road GRP Case No.06 of 2026 corresponding to GR Case No. 42 of 2026 pending in the file of JMFC, Jatni, Khurda, for commission of offences punishable U/S. 305(c) of BNS, on the main allegation of committing theft of the bag of the informant.
4. Heard, Mr. Susanta Kumar Lenka, learned counsel for the petitioner No.5 and Mr. P. Satpathy, learned Addl. Public Prosecutor in the matter and perused the record.



5. 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 accusations sought to be brought against her and regard being had to the pre-trial detention of the petitioner No.5- Ajit Majhi in custody since 19.01.2026 and taking into account the mode and manner of his implication in this case and keeping in view the other circumstances on record in entirety including the inherent right of the accused to be presumed innocent until proven guilty at the trial and the petitioner No.5 having not been reported to be involved in any other case of similar nature, this Court without expressing any view on merits, admits the petitioner No.5- Ajit Majhi to bail.

6. Hence, the bail application of the petitioner No.5- Ajit Majhi stands allowed and the petitioner No.5- Ajit Majhi is allowed to go on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty-five Thousand) only with one solvent surety for the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned Court in seisin of the case on such terms and conditions as deems fit and proper by it.

7. Accordingly, the BLAPL stands disposed of. Issue urgent certified copy of the order as per Rules. A soft copy of this order be immediately communicated to the concerned Court, who shall afterwards communicate the same to the concerned Jail through e-mail for reference.

(G. Satapathy)
Judge