



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

BLAPL No.2127 of 2026

Sagar Bhoi @ Kalu **Petitioner(s)**

Mr. Biswabhusan Das, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha **Opposite Party(s)**

Ms. Suvalaxmi Devi, ASC

Mr. Niranjan Panda, Advocate
(for the informant)

CORAM: JUSTICE SIBO SANKAR MISHRA

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1. Heard.
2. Vide order dated 22.04.2026, notice was issued to the informant/opposite party No.2. Although the petitioner has not filed the requisites for serving the notice on the informant but Mr. Niranjan Panda, learned counsel entered appearance and filed Vakalatnama on behalf of the informant/opposite party No.2, which is taken on record.
3. The petitioner is an accused in connection with Banki P.S. Case No.50 of 2025 corresponding to Spl. G.R. Case No.26 of 2025 registered on the allegation of the commission of the offences under Sections 127(2)/65(1)/115(2)/296/351(2) of B.N.S., 2023 read with Section 4 of the POCSO Act pending in the Court



of the learned Ad-hoc Additional District & Sessions Judge, FTSC-1, Cuttack.

4. The petitioner had approached the learned Court below praying for grant of bail. The learned Court below vide its order dated 11.02.2026 has rejected the bail application of the petitioner. Being aggrieved, the petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 483 of B.N.S.S., 2023 praying for enlargement on bail.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioner, on instruction from the petitioner, submits that, except the present bail application, no other bail application of the petitioner is pending in any other Court relating to the aforesaid F.I.R.

6. The prosecution case, in brief, is that on 14.02.2025, the informant, being the mother of the victim, appeared before the I.I.C., Banki Police Station, and lodged a written report alleging therein that on 08.02.2025 at about 7:00 P.M., the accused person of her village wrongfully confined her daughter, committed rape upon her, abused her in obscene language, assaulted her, and threatened her with dire consequences. Hence, the F.I.R.

7. The victim girl aged about 16 years, was allegedly ravished by the petitioner and detained in his house. It is alleged that due to severe mental agony suffered by her, she ultimately committed suicide. In connection with the said incident of suicide, another



case being Banki P.S. Case No.108 dated 19.03.2025 has been registered under Sections 103(1)/3(5) of B.N.S., 2023 at the instance of the mother of the victim. In the present case statement of the minor victim under Section 164 Cr.P.C. was already recorded by the police prior to the commission of suicide by her. Perusal of the said statement also reveals that specific overt act has been attributed to the present petitioner.

8. Regard being had to the nature of allegations against the petitioner, this Court is not inclined to grant him on bail.

9. Accordingly, the BLAPL stands dismissed.

(S.S. Mishra)
Judge

Swarna

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