



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

BLAPL No.3501 of 2026

Rakesh Mallik

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Petitioner

Represented By Adv. –
Mr. Arun Kumar Behera

-versus-

State of Odisha and another

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Opposite Party

Represented By Adv. –
Mr. U.C. Jena, ASC

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADITYA KUMAR MOHAPATRA

Order No.

ORDER

05.05.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical Mode).

2. Heard learned counsel appearing for the Petitioner and learned Additional Standing Counsel appearing for the State-Opposite Party. Perused the materials placed before this Court.

3. The present bail application under Section 483 of BNSS, 2023 has been filed by the Petitioner for regular bail in connection with C.T. Case No.1992 of 2025, arising out of Soro P.S. Case No.1051 of 2025, pending in the court of learned J.M.F.C., Soro, for alleged commission of offences punishable under Sections 310(4)/310(5) of the B.N.S. 2023 read with Sections 25/27 of the Arms Act and Sections 4/5



of E.S. Act.

4. After having considered the rival submissions and taking into consideration the nature and gravity of the offences as alleged against the petitioners vis-à-vis the accusations sought to be brought against him and regard being had to the pre-trial detention of the Petitioner in custody since 15.12.2025 with submission of charge sheet in the meantime and taking into account the other circumstances on record in entirety including the inherent right of an accused to be presumed innocent until proven guilty at the trial, this Court without expressing any view on merit, admits each of the petitioners to bail.

5. Hence, the bail application of the Petitioner stand allowed and the Petitioner is allowed to go on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand) with two solvent sureties each for the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned Court in seisin of the case on such terms and conditions as deem fit and proper by it. Further, the release of the Petitioner shall also be subject to the following condition:-

I) He shall not indulge in similar criminal activities while on bail;

II) He shall appear before the trial court on each and every date of posting of the case, unless his personal appearance is



dispensed with by the trial court;

III) He shall not leave the jurisdiction of the court in seisin over the matter without prior permission of the court in seisin over the matter;

IV) He shall appear before the concerned Police Station once in a fortnight, preferably on 'Sunday' in between 10.00 A.M to 1.00 P.M., for a period of three months and thereafter once in a month till conclusion of the trial.

Violation of any of the conditions imposed either by this court or the court in seisin over the matter shall entail cancellation of bail.

6. Accordingly, the BLAPL stands disposed of.

Issue urgent certified copy of the order as per Rules.

(Aditya Kumar Mohapatra)
Judge

Debasis