



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.4361 of 2026

Anil @ Antaryami Digal

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Petitioner

Mr. A.K. Sahoo, Advocate

-Versus-

State of Odisha

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Opposite Party

Mr. S. Panda, ASC

CORAM:

MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAIK

ORDER

04.05.2026

Order No.

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1. Heard learned counsel for the respective parties.
2. Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 BNSS by the petitioner seeking pre-arrest bail in connection with Phulbani Sadar PS Case No. 170 of 2025 corresponding to C.T. Case No.816 of 2025 pending in the court of learned S.D.J.M., Phulbani on the grounds stated.
3. Though the petitioner had earlier approached this Court in ABLAPL No. 10621 of 2025 disposed of by order dated 20th September, 2025 but in the meantime, since the chargesheet is filed deleting offences under Sections 85 & 89 BNS, recording the submission of Mr. Sahoo, learned counsel for the petitioner that there is a possibility of settlement between the parties, this Court is inclined to direct them to go for mediation and accordingly it is ordered. Consequently, the petitioner and informant are requested to appear before the learned DLSA, Phulbani on 11th May, 2026 to receive further orders. State is directed to intimate the informant with the assistance of the



local P.S. so as to enable her to attend the mediation on the date fixed. This Court, as an interim measure, pending receipt of mediation report directs that the petitioner shall not be taken into custody in connection with to C.T. Case No.816 of 2025 pending in the court of learned S.D.J.M., Phulbani till the next date of hearing.

4. List on the date fixed for orders.
5. Issue urgent certified copy as per rules.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge

Balaram