



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
BLAPL No.4015 of 2026

Alok Datta Kanti & Another ... Petitioners

Mr. S.K. Rout, Advocate

-versus-

State of Orissa ... Opposite Party

Mr. P. Satpathy, Addl. PP

CORAM: JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

Order No.

ORDER(ORAL)07.05.2026

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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 petitioners for grant of bail in connection with Purunakatak PS Case No.31 of 2026 corresponding to CT Case No.50 of 2026 pending in the file of learned JMFC, Harbhanga for commission of offences punishable U/Ss.287/288/3(5) of BNS r/w Sec.4 and 5 of Explosive Substance Act/9(B) of the Explosive Act/Sec.5 of the Orissa Fire Works and Loudspeaker Regulation Act, on the main allegation of possessing fire crackers in violation of the statutory rules.
3. Heard, Mr. Sangram Keshari Rout, learned counsel for the petitioners and Mr. P. Satpathy, learned Additional Public Prosecutor in the matter and perused the record.
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 them and regard being had to the pre-trial detention of the



petitioners in custody since 16.03.2026 with substantial progress in investigation and there being no injury to anybody and taking into account the other circumstances on record in entirety including the inherent right of the accused to be presumed innocent until proven guilty at the trial, this Court without expressing any view on merit admits the petitioners to bail.

5. Hence, the bail application of the petitioners stands allowed and the petitioners are allowed to go on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand) only 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.

6. Accordingly, the BLAPL stands disposed of.

7. 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

Jayakrushna

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