



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.4973 of 2026

Jaga Banasandha

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Petitioner

Mr. Biswajit Ranjan Tripathy, Advocate

-Versus-

State of Odisha & Anr.

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Opposite Parties

Mr. M. K. Mohanty, ASC

CORAM:

MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAİK

ORDER

29.06.2026

Order No.

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1. Heard learned counsel for the respective parties.
2. Instant petition under Section 482 BNSS is filed for pre-arrest bail of the petitioner in connection with Mohana P.S. Case No.55 of 2026 corresponding to G.R. Case No.104 of 2026 pending in the file of learned J.M.F.C., Mohana on the grounds stated therein.
3. Perused the FIR as at Annexure-1. The mediation report is at Flag-M and reveals that such mediation as was suggested by this Court by order dated 6th May, 2026 has been unsuccessful. Mr. Tripathy, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the informant did not attend the mediation. The report of mediation reveals that the informant on being contacted over phone, expressed her desire not to participate in the mediation. On merits, Mr. Tripathy, learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner is serving in Indian Army and in so far as the informant is concerned, she is a lady



of 28 years and lodged the report in respect of an incident of the year 2019. The allegation is that the petitioner developed intimacy with the informant on a false promise of marriage in future as revealed from the FIR. It is informed to the Court that the petitioner is a bachelor and so the informant. Recorded the objection of the State. Though the parties were advised for a mediation, from the report at Flag-M, it is revealed that the informant was not inclined and did not attend the session.

4. Considering the above facts and allegations in the FIR regarding a relationship commenced in the year 2019 and it was on the premise of marriage as claimed by the informant which, however, did not materialize later on since the petitioner refused for the same, this Court finding the parties to be major, recording the objection of the State, is inclined to direct the petitioner to surrender before the learned court below for being released with suitable conditions imposed even though his bail plea is not entertained.

5. Accordingly, it is ordered.

6. In the result, the ABLAPL is disposed of. It is directed that in the event, the petitioner surrenders before the learned J.M.F.C., Mohana in connection with Mohana P.S. Case No.55 of 2026 corresponding to G.R. Case No.104 of 2026 within a period of three weeks from today, he shall be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.30,000/-(thirty thousand only) with one solvent surety for the like amount and such other terms and conditions as deemed just and proper in the facts and



circumstances of the case, besides the following, such as, not cause any harm to the informant in any manner and whatsoever and to attend the P.S. whenever summoned by the I.O. for the purpose of investigation without default.

7. Issue urgent certified copy as per rules.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge

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