



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
BLAPL No.4974 of 2026

Lipu Gochhayat

...

Petitioner

Mr. P.C. Moharana, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

...

Opposite Party

Mr. C. Mohanty, Addl. PP

CORAM: JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

ORDER(ORAL):07.07.2026

Order No.

02.

1. This is a bail application U/S.483 of BNSS by the petitioner for grant of bail in connection with Sukinda PS Case No.52 of 2026 corresponding to CT Case No.106 of 2026 pending in the file of learned GN-Cum-JMFC, Sukinda, for commission of offences punishable U/Ss.85/108 of BNS, on the main allegation of abetting commission of suicide of his wife by subjecting her to torture and cruelty.

2. Heard, Mr. Purna Chandra Moharana, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. C. Mohanty, learned Addl. Public Prosecutor in the matter and perused the record.

3. After having considered the rival submissions and taking into consideration the nature and gravity of the offences as alleged against the petitioner 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 18.03.2026 with submission of charge-sheet in the meantime and keeping in view the other circumstances on record in entirety including the



marriage of the petitioner with the deceased being solemnized around 12 to 13 years back and there being alleged quarrel between both of them for taking of liquor by the petitioner and taking into account the inherent right of the accused-petitioner to be presumed innocent until proven guilty at the trial and last but not the least, taking into account the cause of death of the deceased as opined by the doctor in the Post Mortem Report and there being no external injury found on the person of the deceased together with the statement of son of the deceased, this Court without expressing any view on merits admits the petitioner to bail.

4. Hence, the bail application of the petitioner stands allowed and the petitioner is 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.

5. Accordingly, the BLAPL stands disposed of. 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

Subhasmita