



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No. 6006 of 2025

Ajay Kumar Pradhan

....

Petitioner

Mr. D. Nayak, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

....

Opposite Party

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

17.10.2025

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- 02.** 1. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner and learned counsel for the State.
2. The Petitioner is seeking pre-arrest bail in connection with G.R. Case No.983 of 2024 pending on the file of learned J.M.F.C.-I (Cog. Taking), Cuttack arising out of Cyber Crime & Economics Offences, UPD, Cuttack P.S. Case No.77 of 2024 for commission of offences punishable under Sections 318(4)/319(2)/3(5) of BNS read with Section 66(C) of the Information Technology (Amendment) Act and Section 9 of the Orissa Conduct of Examination Act.
3. This is the second journey of the Petitioner to this Court.
4. It is stated at the Bar that in the meanwhile the co-accused were taken into custody and has released on bail.
5. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for pre-arrest bail.



6. Taking into account the nature of allegations, this Court is not inclined to entertain the application for pre-arrest bail. However, in the event the Petitioner surrenders before the learned Court in seisin in the aforesaid case and moves an application for his release on bail, the same shall be considered on its own merit.
7. Ground of parity, if any, may be considered by the learned court(s) below.
8. Accordingly, the ABLAPL stands disposed of.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge

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