



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.7540 of 2025

Amrit Rout

Petitioner

Mr. H.K Ratsingh, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

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Opposite Party

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

25.08.2025

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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.378 of 2025 pending in the Court of learned JMFC, Tirtol arising out of Tirtol P.S. Case No.295 of 2025 for commission of offence punishable under Sections 69/296/115(2) of BNS, 2023.
3. Learned counsel for the State opposes such prayer.
4. Taking into account the nature of allegations as borne out from the statement recorded under Section 183 BNSS notwithstanding the submission of the learned counsel for the Petitioner that the Informant was in a consensual relationship of the Petitioner, this Court is not inclined to entertain the application in respect of the Petitioner. However, it is directed that the Petitioner may surrender before the learned JMFC, Tirtol in



connection with the aforementioned case within one month from today.

In the event of his surrender and motion for bail, the same be considered by the learned JMFC, Tirtol on merits, in the first hour of the day.

In the event of rejection of the prayer for bail by the learned JMFC, Tirtol, the Petitioner is at liberty to move the higher forum for bail in the second hour on the same day.

5. On being so moved, the higher forum is requested to make an endeavour to dispose of the bail application of the Petitioner on the same day on merit in accordance with law. `

The case diary shall be made available to the concerned courts to facilitate disposal of the bail application of the Petitioner and learned JMFC, Tirtol is called upon to transmit the case record to the higher forum at the earliest in the event of rejection of such bail application.

6. Accordingly, the ABLAPL stands disposed of.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge

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