



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK**  
**BLAPL No.7009 of 2025**

***Utkal Das***

...

***Petitioner***

*Mr. A. Mohanty, Advocate*

-versus-

***State of Odisha***

...

***Opposite Party***

*Mr. C. Mohanty, Addl. PP*

**CORAM:**  
**JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY**

**ORDER(ORAL)**  
**12.08.2025**

**Order No.**  
**02.**

1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical Mode).
2. This is an application U/S.483 of BNSS by the petitioner for grant of bail in connection with Keonjhar Sar PS Case No.184 of 2025 arising out of GR Case No.645 of 2025, pending in the Court of learned SDJM, Keonjhar for commission of offences punishable U/Ss.294/ 506/ 307/ 420/ 467/ 468/ 471/ 120-B/ 384 of IPC r/w Sec.25/27 of Arms Act., on the allegation of attempting to the life of the informant and misappropriating a cash of Rs.20,50,000/- to be paid to him as a remuneration towards transporting mines from Gandhamardhan Mines.
3. Heard, Mr. Adhiraj Mohanty, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. C.K. Mohanty, 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 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 28.04.2025 and taking into account the main allegation being directed against co-accused Soumya Sankar Chakra @ Raja and keeping in view the inherent right of the accused to be presumed innocent until guilty at the trial, this Court without expressing any view on merits admits the petitioner to bail.

5. 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 one solvent surety 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.

**(G. Satapathy)**  
**Judge**

*Jayakrushna*

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