



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
BLAPL No.7092 of 2024

Chulu Baghwar

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Petitioner

*Mr. A.K. Budhia, Advocate
appearing on behalf of
Mr. S.R. Das, Advocate*

-versus-

State of Odisha

...

Opposite Party

Mr. A.K. Apat, Addl. PP

CORAM:
JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

ORDER(ORAL)
05.05.2025

Order No.

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical Mode).
2. This is a bail application U/S.483 of the BNSS by the petitioner for grant of bail in connection with Raiboga PS Case No. 148 of 2023 arising out of ST Case No.37/127 of 2024 pending in the Court of learned Adhoc Additional District & Sessions Judge (FTSC) (POCSO), Rourkela for commission of offences punishable U/Ss. 376(D)/450 of IPC, on the main allegation of committing gang rape upon the victim by trespassing into her house.
3. Heard, Mr. Arun Kumar Budhia, learned proxy counsel appearing on behalf of Mr. Soumya Ranjan Das, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. A.K. Apat, 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 offence as alleged against the petitioner vis-a-vis the accusations sought to be brought against him and regard being had to the specific allegation against the Petitioner for committing gang rape upon the victim by trespassing into her house and taking into account the other circumstances on record in entirety including the statement of the victim, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the Petitioner.

Hence, the bail application of the petitioner stands rejected. In view of the alternative oral prayer as advanced for the Petitioner, the Petitioner may renew his prayer for bail after examination of the victim.

5. Accordingly, the BLAPL stands disposed of.

6. Issue urgent certified copy of the order as per Rules. A copy of this order be immediately transmitted to the concerned Court.

(G. Satapathy)
Judge

Priyajit

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