



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No. 8548 of 2025

Biswaranjan Behera @ Petitioner
Abhi

Mr. A.S. Paul, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha Opposite Party

Mr. S.K. Lenka, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

11.08.2025

Order No.

- 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.486 of 2025 pending on the file of learned J.M.F.C., Jatni, arising out of Info Valley P.S. Case No.168 of 2025 for commission of offences punishable under Sections 3(5)/309(6) of BNS.
3. It is submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioner that the basis of implication is on account of the co-accused statement and the co-accused who were taken to custody have been released on surrendering. Hence, it is stated that the Petitioner may be protected by pre-arrest bail.
4. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for pre-arrest bail.



5. Considering the nature of allegations, this Court directs that on surrendering within three weeks hence and moving for bail, the Petitioner shall be released on bail by the learned Court in seisin on such terms as deemed just and proper subject to verification of criminal antecedent of any nature.

6. If it comes to the fore that the Petitioner has any criminal antecedent, this order shall not be given effect to.

7. It is needless to state that the Petitioner shall cooperate with the ongoing investigation.

8. Accordingly, the ABLAPL stands disposed of.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge

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