



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.9754 of 2025

Sanjaya Chandra Sahoo Petitioner
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Mr. N. Mohanty, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha Opposite Party

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

22.08.2025

Order No.

- 03.** 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.554 of 2025 pending in the Court of learned SDJM, Puri, arising out of Baselisahi P.S. Case No.137 of 2025 for commission of offence punishable under Sections 329(4)/ 115(2)/ 296/ 74/ 351(2) of BNS, 2023.
3. It is submitted by the learned counsel that because of civil dispute, the Petitioner has been falsely implicated. Hence, he may be protected by pre-arrest bail.
4. Learned counsel for the State opposes such prayer.



5. It is stated that the Petitioner has two criminal antecedents in as much as he has been cited as accused in Sea Beach P.S. Case No.84 of 2019, under Section 341/323/294/379/307/427/506/34 of IPC and Baselisahi P.S. Case No.272 of 2023, under Sections 451/294/323/392/354/427/506 of IPC.

6. So far as the criminal antecedents are concerned, it is stated by the learned counsel that there is a dispute inter se between the parties.

7. Taking note of the same, it is directed 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.

8. If it comes to fore that the Petitioner has any criminal antecedent other than noted hereinabove, this order shall not be given effect to.

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

10. Accordingly, the ABLAPL stands disposed of.

11. U.C.C. as per rules.

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(V. NARASINGH)
Judge