



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
CRLA No. 1007 of 2023

Diga @ Digambar Pradhan ... ***Appellant***

Mr. M.K. Biswal, Advocate
on behalf of Mr. P.K. Sahoo, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha ... ***Respondent***

Mr. S.K. Rout, Addl. PP

CORAM:
JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

ORDER(ORAL)
09.05.2025

Order No.

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I.A. No. 311 of 2025

1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical Mode).
2. This is an application U/S. 430(1) & (2) of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (in short, "BNSS") for grant of bail to the appellant-petitioner pending suspension of further execution of their sentence till disposal of the appeal.
3. Heard, Mr. Mithu Kumar Biswal, learned proxy counsel appearing on behalf of Mr. Prasanta Kumar Sahoo, learned counsel for the appellant-petitioner, Mr. S.K. Rout, learned Addl. Public Prosecutor in the matter and perused the record including the evidence of the victim, but none appears for the victim despite being duly informed as intimated by the State.



4. After having considered the rival submission and on going through the materials evidence placed on record including the evidence of the victim, this Court does not find any merit in the bail application by the appellant and for suspension of his sentence.

Hence, the prayer for bail and suspension of sentence of the appellant-petitioner stands rejected.

5. Accordingly, the IA stands disposed of.

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6. Since LCR is already available, Office is requested to prepare paper books and supply the same to the counsel for the parties in accordance with Rules.

7. Accordingly, list this matter on 22nd July, 2025 for final hearing.

(G. Satapathy)
Judge

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