



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No. 12358 of 2025

***Jitendra @ Debabrata
Sahoo***

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Petitioner

Mr. B. R. Swain, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

....

Opposite Party

Mr. S. Panda, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

17.12.2025

Order No.

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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.2463 of 2025 pending on the file of learned S.D.J.M., Bhadrak, arising out of Pirahat P.S. Case No.287 of 2025 for commission of offences punishable under Sections 296/ 115(2)/ 109(1)/ 117(2)/ 3(5) and 126(2) of BNS.

3. Learned counsel for the State opposes such prayer.

4. Taking into account the submission of the learned counsel for the Petitioner and considering that the Petitioner is a student and he has no criminal proclivity, he may be protected by pre-arrest bail.



5. Considering the omnibus nature of allegations, 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 and nature of injury.
6. If it comes to fore that the Petitioner has any criminal antecedent and injury suffered by the injured is grievous, 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. U.C.C. as per rules.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge

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