



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

BLAPL No.12386 of 2025

Alok Datta Kanti & others **Petitioners**

Mr. S.K.Rout, Advocate

-Versus-

State of Orissa **Opposite Party**

Mr. P.K.Ray, AGA

And

BLAPL No.11295 of 2025

Prasanta Sahu@ Gunu **Petitioner**

Mr. R.K.Panda, Advocate &
Mr. P.P.Parida, Advocte

-Versus-

State of Odisha **Opposite Party**

Mr. P.K.Ray, AGA

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MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAIK

ORDER

17.12.2025

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No.**

01. 1. The bail petitions are clubbed together for disposal by the following common order.
2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and State.
3. Instant petitions are filed for release of the petitioners on bail in connection with C.T. Case No.241 of 2025 pending



in the file of learned J.M.F.C., Harabhanga arising out of Purunakatak P.S. Case No.148 of 2025 on the grounds stated.

4. In the case at hand, it is made to reveal from the F.I.R. and rejection orders as at Annexures-1 & 2 that huge quantity of the fire crackers stored in the house of one Magiram Behera exploded and as the result, the informant's brother died. It is submitted that the petitioners are alleged to be involved in storing the fire crackers in the alleged house. The seizure of the fire crackers from the house in question has been made with a seizure list prepared, a copy of which is produced before the Court's perusal. The said seizure list reveals that good quantity of fire crackers stored had been in the house and it was seized at the spot. The record reveals that the fire crackers were on in the house of one of the accused persons, namely, Magiram Behera. After the death of the victim in the explosion, it is also informed to the Court that raid was conducted and it has led to the registration of other three cases. Considering the above facts and objection of the State and though investigation is going on, under the impression that it must have progressed to a considerable extent, the Court is of the view that the petitioners should be released on bail with stringent conditions.

5. Accordingly, it is ordered.

6. In the result, the petitions stand allowed. Consequently, the petitioners are directed to be released on bail in connection with C.T. Case No.241 of 2024 arising out of Purunakatak P.S. Case No.148 of 2025 subject to them furnishing bail bonds of



Rs.50,000/- (rupees fifty thousand) each with one solvent sureties for the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned J.M.F.C., Harabhanga, who shall be at liberty to impose such other suitable conditions as deemed just and proper in the facts and circumstances of the case.

7. The BLAPLs are disposed of.
8. Urgent certified copy of this order be granted as per rules.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge