



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.13386 of 2025

Muna Sahoo

....

Petitioner

Mr. P. Beura, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

....

Opposite Party

Mr. S.N. Das, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

27.11.2025

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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 2(a)CC No.177 of 2025 pending in the Court of learned S.D.J.M, Athagarh, arising out of P.R No.111 of 2025-2026 for commission of offence punishable under Section 52(a)(i) of the Odisha Excise Act.

3. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer.

4. Taking into account the nature of allegations and the punishment prescribed, 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 subject to verification of criminal antecedent of any nature.

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

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

7. Accordingly, the ABLAPL stands disposed of.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge

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