



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

BLAPL No.12341 of 2025

Goush Mahammad @ Bablu & Ors. *Petitioner(s)*
Mr. Jyotirmaya Sahoo, Adv.

-Versus-

State of Odisha *Opposite Party(s)*
Smt. Sarita Moharana, ASC

CORAM:

DR. JUSTICE SANJEEB K PANIGRAHI

ORDER

17.12.2025

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FIR No.	Dated	Police Station	Case No. and Courts' Name	Sections
0276	10.11.2025	Nuapada	Nuapada P.S. Case No.276 of 2025 corresponding to C.T. Case No.826 of 2025 in the file of learned S.D.J.M., Nuapada	Sections 310(2)/296/351(3) of B.N.S., 2023 read with Section 25/27 of Arms Act

1. This matter is taken up through hybrid arrangement.
2. Heard learned counsel for the Parties.



3. The petitioners, currently in judicial custody in connection with Nuapada P.S. Case No.276 of 2025 corresponding to C.T. Case No.826 of 2025 in the file of learned S.D.J.M., Nuapada registered for alleged offences under Sections 310(2)/296/351(3) of B.N.S., 2023 read with Section 25/27 of Arms Act, have filed the present application seeking release on bail.

4. The prosecution case in brief is that on 09.11.2025 at about 8 P.M. when the members of BJP party were filing of agent forms, the Petitioners along with three others abused them by uttering obscene words and one Bablu Mahammad threatened them being armed with a pistol. The Petitioners snatched away cash of Rs.28,000/- from the members of the BJP Party. Hence, this case.

5. Learned counsel for the Petitioners submits that the Petitioners have been in judicial custody since 10.11.2025. He further submits that out of political rivalry, the Petitioners are implicated in this case and nothing has been recovered from the possession of the Petitioners except a cash of Rs.25,000/-. Accordingly, it is prayed that the Petitioners be released on bail.

6. Learned counsel for the State vehemently opposes the prayer for bail of the Petitioners.

7. Without delving into the intricacies of the case or the merits of the allegations, and in light of the facts and circumstances at



hand, it is directed that the Petitioners be released on bail in the aforesaid case with some stringent terms and conditions as deems just and proper by the learned court *in seisin* over the matter with further conditions that:-

- i. The petitioners shall appear before the trial court on each date of posting of the case.
- ii. The petitioners shall not indulge themselves in any criminal offence while on bail.
- iii. The petitioners shall not tamper with the evidence or intimidate the prosecution witnesses in any manner.

Violation of any of the above conditions shall lead to cancellation of the bail.

8. The BLAPL is accordingly disposed of.

(Dr. Sanjeeb K Panigrahi)
Judge