



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
BLAPL No.12113 of 2024

Siva Shankar Banerjee

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Petitioner

Mr. G.Das, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

...

Opposite Party

Mr. A.K.Apat, Addl. PP

*Mr.Haladhar Sethy, Advocate
for the Informant*

CORAM:
JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

ORDER(ORAL)
01.05.2025

Order No.

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical Mode).
2. This is an application U/S.483 of BNSS by the Petitioner for grant of bail in connection with Bhubaneswar Mahila PS Case No.47 of 2013 corresponding to CT Case No.835 of 2013, pending in the Court of learned SDJM, Bhubaneswar for commission of offences punishable U/S.498-A/304(B)/34 of IPC on the allegation of committing dowry death of the deceased-cum-his wife by subjecting her to torture and cruelty for demand of dowry.
3. Heard, Mr. Gorekhanath Das, learned counsel for the Petitioner and Mr. A.K.Apat, learned Additional Public Prosecutor and Mr.Haladhar Sethy, learned



counsel for the informant in the matter and perused the record.

4. After having considered the rival submissions and taking into consideration the nature and gravity of the offences as alleged against the Petitioner vis-à-vis the accusation sought to be brought against him and regard being had to the long abscondance of the petitioner for twelve years by flouting the spirit of orders of this Court passed in BLAPL No. 810 of 2014 granting liberty to him to surrender to custody and taking into account the other circumstances on record in entirety including the deceased having died unnaturally in her matrimonial home within one and half years of her marriage, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the Petitioner.

Hence, the bail application of the Petitioner stands rejected. Accordingly, the bail application stand disposed of.

5. Issue urgent certified copy of the order as per Rules.

(G. Satapathy)
Judge

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