

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

BLAPL No. 417 of 2022

Badal Das

.... ***Petitioner***
Mr.Alok Ku. Panda, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

.... ***Opposite Party***
Mr.P.C.Das, A.S.C.

CORAM:

JUSTICE A.K. MOHAPATRA

ORDER

01.02.2022

Order No.

1. This matter is taken up through Video Conferencing mode.
2. This is an application under Section 439 Cr.P.C. filed by the Petitioner for bail in connection with Aska P.S.Case No.454 of 2021, corresponding to G.R.Case No.840 of 2021, pending in the Court of the learned J.M.F.C., Aska for alleged commission of offence under Section 395 of the Indian Penal Code.
3. Upon consideration of the submissions made by the respective parties as well as on perusal of the records and on consideration of the peculiar facts and circumstances of the case and considering the fact that the Petitioner is languishing in jail custody since 24.07.2021 and the fact that co-accused persons have been released on bail, I am inclined to release the Petitioner on bail in the above case, on furnishing a bail bond of Rs.30,000/- (Rupees Thirty thousand) with one local solvent surety for the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned court in seisin over the matter subject to condition that the Petitioner shall appear before the concerned Police Station once in a

fortnight between 10 A.M. and 1 P.M. till completion of trial. Further, it is open to the court in seisin over the matter to impose any additional condition(s), if situation so warrants.

4. The BLAPL is accordingly disposed of.

5. As the restrictions due to resurgence of COVID -19 situation are continuing, learned counsel for the parties may utilize a print out of the order available in the High Court's website, at par with certified copy, subject to attestation by the concerned Advocate, in the manner prescribed vide Court's Notice No.4587, dated 25th March, 2020, modified by Court's Notice No.4798, dated 15th April, 2021, and Court's Office Order circulated vide Memo Nos.514 and 515 dated 7th January, 2022.

RKS

