

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK**

**CRLMC No.186 of 2022**

***Riyaz Ahamad Mallik***

....

***Petitioner***

Mr. Jayadeba Behera, Advocate

-versus-

***State of Odisha***

....

***Opposite Party***

Mr. Suryaranjan Roul, ASC

**CORAM:**

**JUSTICE S.K. PANIGRAHI**

**ORDER**

**01.02.2022**

**Order No.**

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1. The matter is taken up through video conferencing mode.
2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for the State.
3. The petitioner has filed this application under Section 482 of the Cr.P.C. to quash the order dated 24.02.2021 passed by the learned S.D.J.M., Phulbani, Kandhamal in C.T. Case No.280/2020 issuing N.B.W. against him.
4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was granted interim bail by this Court vide order dated 31.08.2020 passed in ABLAPL No.8963 of 2020. He further submits that due to communication gap between the petitioner and his conducting counsel on the date fixed, the N.B.W. was issued against the petitioner on 24.02.2021.
5. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner undertakes to co-operate with the trial and appear before the court on each date of posting of the case.

6. Considering the aforesaid submissions, the petitioner is directed to surrender before the court in seisin over the matter within a period of fifteen days hence. Upon his surrender, the court in seisin over the matter shall grant him bail with some stringent conditions so as to ensure his regular attendance before the court on each date of posting of the case. In addition, the petitioner shall deposit a sum of Rs.1,000/- (rupees one thousand only) as cost for non-compliance of the court's order. The said amount shall be deposited before the High Court Bar Associations Welfare Fund and copy of the said deposit shall be presented before the court in seisin over the matter.

7. In view of the above, the order of issuance of N.B.W. against the petitioner on 24.02.2021 in C.T. Case No.280 of 2020 is quashed.

8. Accordingly, the CRLMC is disposed of.

9. As the restrictions due to resurgence of Covid-19 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 Advocate concerned with his/her seal, in the manner prescribed vide Court's Office Order dated 7<sup>th</sup> January, 2022.

**(S.K. Panigrahi)**  
**Judge**

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