

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

BLAPL No. 1354 of 2022

Prasanta Pradhan @ Budhu

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Petitioner

Mr. J.K. Panda, Advocate

- Versus -

State of Odisha

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Opposite Party

Mr. P. Tripathy, Addl. Standing Counsel

CORAM:

JUSTICE SASHIKANTA MISHRA

ORDER

03.03.2022

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1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned Addl. Standing Counsel for the State.
3. The petitioner is in custody since 24.12.2021 in connection with Boudh P.S. Case No.147 of 2020 corresponding to C.T. Case No.374 of 2020 corresponding to Special Case (NDPS) No. 24 of 2020 pending in the Court of learned Additional Sessions Judge-cum-Special Judge, Boudh for the alleged commission of offence under Sections 20(b)(ii)(C)/29 of NDPS Act.
4. Considering the submissions, materials on record and the fact that the petitioner appears to have been implicated in the case only on the basis of the statement of the co-accused and nothing was seized from his possession, I am inclined to allow the prayer for bail. Let the petitioner be released on bail on such terms and conditions as the court in seisin over the matter may deem fit and proper to impose including the condition that he shall personally appear before the trial Court on each date of posting of the case without fail.
5. BLAPL is accordingly disposed of.
6. Issue urgent certified copy as per rules.

(Sashikanta Mishra)
Judge