

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

BLAPL No. 1379 of 2022

Bairagi Rao

.... Petitioner

Mr. B. Rout Advocate

- Versus -

State of Odisha

.... Opposite Party

Mr. P. Tripathy, Addl. Standing Counsel

CORAM:

JUSTICE SASHIKANTA MISHRA

ORDER

07.03.2022

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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 13.01.2022 corresponding to 2(a)CC Case No.3 of 2022 pending in the Court of learned Sessions Judge –cum- Special Judge, Cuttack for the alleged commission of offence under Section 21(b)/29 of NDPS Act, 1985.
4. Considering the submissions, the materials on record and the fact that the seized contraband is less than commercial quantity, being 43 grams of brown sugar, 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

A.K. Rana