

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

BLAPL No.11213 of 2021

Madhusudan Bag @ Raibaru Bag ***Petitioner***

Mr. Santosh Kumar Mohanty, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha ***Opposite Party***

Mr. Sk. Zafrulla, Addl. Standing Counsel

**CORAM:
SHRI JUSTICE B. P. ROUTRAY**

**ORDER
25.01.2022**

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01. 1. The matter is taken up through video conferencing mode.
2. Heard Mr. S.K. Mohanty, learned counsel for the Petitioner and Mr. Zafrulla, learned Additional Standing Counsel.
3. This is an application under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of bail to the Petitioner Madhusudan Bag @ Raibaru Bag in connection with Khaprakhol P.S. Case No.130 of 2021 corresponding to G.R. Case No.705 of 2021 pending in the court of learned S.D.J.M., Patnagarh for alleged commission of offence under Section 274/275/120-B of the Indian Penal Code for alleged possession of Eskuf cough syrup.
4. It is submitted that the Petitioner is inside custody since 4th September, 2021 and in the meantime investigation has been completed.

5. Upon hearing Mr. Zafraulla, learned Additional Standing Counsel and considering the period of detention of the Petitioner inside custody as well as the fact of completion of investigation, it is directed to release the Petitioner on bail in the aforesaid case on such terms and conditions to be fixed by learned court in seisin over the matter including the condition that, the Petitioner shall not be involved in any other offence while on bail and shall appear before the I.I.C., Khaparakhhol P.S. as and when directed.

6. The BLAPL is accordingly disposed of.

7. As the restrictions due to resurgence of COVID-19 situation are continuing, learned counsel for the parties may utilize a printout of the order available in the High Court's website, at par with certified copy, in the manner prescribed vide Court's Notice No.514 dated 7th January, 2022.

(**B.P. Routray**)
Judge