IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
BLAPL No.573 of 2026

Haladhar Nayak … ***Petitioner***

Mr. S. Biswal, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha … ***Opposite Party***

Mr. R.B. Mishra, Addl. PP

CORAM: JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

Order No. **ORDER(ORAL)09.04.2026**

02. 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical Mode).

2. This is a bail application U/S.483 of the BNSS by the petitioner for grant of bail in connection with Raighar PS Case No.179 of 2025 corresponding to GR Case No.283 of 2025 pending in the Court of learned NGN-cum-JMFC, Raighar for commission of offences punishable U/Ss. 416/420 of IPC, on the main allegation of alluring the informant to invest money and falling on such trap, the informant transferring Rs.7Lakhs on the assurance of getting high return, but subsequently duping the informant for such amount.

3. Heard, Mr. Suryanarayan Biswal, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. R.B. Mishra, learned Additional Public Prosecutor in the matter and perused the record.

4. After having considered the rival submissions and taking into consideration the nature and gravity of the offences as alleged against the petitioner vis-a-vis the accusations sought to be brought against him and regard being had to the pre-trial detention of the petitioner in

custody since 16.08.2025 with examination of material witnesses like the informant, her husband and her son thereby, there being little apprehension of tampering of prosecution evidence of material witness like the victim and taking into account the failure of the state to produce the instruction in terms of the order passed by this Court on 10.03.2026 and keeping in view the provision of Sec.480(6) of BNSS, this Court without expressing any view on merits, admits the petitioner to bail.

5. Hence, the bail application of the petitioner stands allowed and the petitioner is allowed to go on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty five Thousand) only with one solvent surety for the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned Court in seisin of the case on such terms and conditions as deem fit and proper by it.

6. Accordingly, the BLAPL stands disposed of. Issue urgent certified copy of the order as per Rules. A soft copy of this order be immediately communicated to the concerned Court, who shall afterwards communicate the same to the concerned Jail through e-mail for reference.

(G. Satapathy)
Judge

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