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

**BLAPL No.6245 of 2026**
**CNR No. ODHC010391952026**

***Ranjit Hati*** .... ***Petitioner***

Mr. G. Rout, Advocate

*-versus-*

***1. State of Odisha*** .... ***Opposite Parties***
***2. Informant***

Mr. S. Panda, ASC
Mr. P. Sahu, Adv.(Informant)

**CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH**

**ORDER**
**29.10.2026**

**Order No.**

03. 1. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner, learned counsel for the State and learned counsel appearing for the Informant through the District Legal Services Authority.

2. The Petitioner is an accused in connection with C.T. Case No.33 of 2026, pending on the file of learned Additional District and Sessions Judge-cum-Special Court under POCSO Act, Phulbani, arising out of **Chakapada P.S. Case No.41 of 2026** for alleged commission of offences under Sections 137(2)/64(2)(m) of BNS, 2023 read with Section 6 of POCSO Act.

3. Learned counsel, on instruction, submits that except the present BLAPL, no other bail application of

the Petitioner relating to the aforementioned P.S. case is pending in any other Court.

4. Being aggrieved by the rejection of his application for bail U/s.483 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS) by the learned Addl. Dist. & Sessions Judge-cum-Special Judge (POCSO) Act, Phulbani by order dated 01.05.2026 in the aforementioned case, the present BLAPL has been filed.

5. It is submitted by the learned counsel that the Petitioner is in custody since 24.04.2026 and as the victim has already been examined, Petitioner may be enlarged on bail.

6. Learned counsel for the State as well as Informant oppose the prayer for bail.

7. This Court perused the deposition of the victim.

8. Taking note of the same, in the light of the allegations, this Court directs the Petitioner to be released on bail on such terms to be fixed by the learned Court in seisin.

9. Additionally, it is directed that the Petitioner shall appear before the jurisdictional police station once a month on a Sunday on such time to be fixed by the learned Court in seisin till the conclusion of

trial. Certification of such appearance shall be submitted to the learned Court in seisin.

10. Registry is requested to send a copy of this order via electronic mode to the Superintendent of the concerned Jail, in addition to the communication through Order Communication Portal (OCP) of this Court.

11. Accordingly, the BLAPL stands disposed of. U.C.C. as per rules.

***(V. Narasingh)***
***Judge***

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