IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
BLAPL No.8289 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010606722026

Neeraj Khamari **.....** ***Petitioner***

Represented by Adv. - Jnyanananda Panda

-versus-

State Of Odisha **.....** ***Opposite Parties***

Represented by Adv. –

Mr. U. Ch. Jena, ASC

CORAM:
MR. JUSTICE ADITYA KUMAR MOHAPATRA

ORDER
29.10.2026

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03. 1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.

2. 2. Heard learned counsel appearing for the Petitioner and learned Additional Standing Counsel appearing for the State-Opposite Party. Perused the materials placed before this Court.

3. The present bail application under Section 483 of the B.N.S.S. has been filed by the Petitioner for regular bail in connection with Bhawanipatna Sadar P.S. Case No.314 of 2026 corresponding to C.T. Case No.703 of 2026 pending in the Court of learned S.D.J.M., Bhawanipatna.

4. It is submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioner that the Petitioner is in custody since 23.07.2026. He further submitted that in the meantime investigation has been concluded, the final

charge sheet has already been filed and although the Petitioner is having some criminal antecedents, he hereby undertakes to abide by any terms and conditions that would be imposed by this Court in the event he is released on bail. He further submits that the Petitioner is resident of the locality and, therefore, there is no likelihood of their absconding. Further referring to the allegations made in the F.I.R., learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that he has been falsely implicated in the present case. He further submitted that the principal allegation against the petitioner is that he was preparing to commit dacoity. Learned counsel for the petitioner also contended that the petitioner has been falsely implicated by the local police with the intention of keeping them in judicial custody. In view of the aforesaid factual background, learned counsel for the petitioner prays that the petitioner be released on bail on such stringent terms and conditions as this Court may deem fit and proper.

5. Learned Additional Standing Counsel on the other hand opposed the bail application of the Petitioner primarily on the ground that in the event the Petitioner is released on bail, he might indulge in similar criminal offences. As such, the learned counsel for the State submitted that the bail application of the Petitioner be rejected at this juncture.

6. Having heard the learned counsel for the respective parties and on careful consideration of the surrounding facts as well as materials on record, this Court is inclined to release the Petitioner on bail subject to imposition of stringent conditions.

7. Hence, it is directed that the Petitioner be released on bail in the aforesaid case on furnishing a bail bond of Rs.45,000/- (Rupees

Forty-Five thousand) with two solvent sureties for the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned court in seisin over the matter.

8. Release of the petitioner shall be subject to the following conditions:-

I. shall not indulge in similar type of offences while on bail;

II. shall appear before the local Police Station once in a fortnight for a period of three months, preferably on 'Sunday' in between 10.00 A.M. to 1 P.M, thereafter, once in a month for a period of another three month.

Violation of any of the conditions shall entail cancellation of the bail application.

9. Additionally, the bail granted to the Petitioner is subject to the petitioner depositing a cash security of Rs.4,000/- (Rupees Four Thousands) before the learned Court in seisin over the matter, which shall be kept in any Nationalized Bank in interest bearing account, initially for a period of one year, which will be renewable from time to time till conclusion of trial and the same shall abide by the final outcome of the trial.

10. The BLAPL is, accordingly, disposed of.

(ADITYA KUMAR MOHAPATRA)
Judge

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