IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.12891 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010873352026

1. Sambhu Jena @ Haripada Jena @ Sampu Jena
2. Ajay Jena @ Bhaja Jena
3. Kasia Jena @ Ratnakar Jena
4. Ganesh Candra Jena @ Babu Jena .... ***Petitioners***

Mr. P.K Jena, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha .... ***Opposite Party***

Mr. A.K. Pati, ASC

ABLAPL No.12983 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010867052026

Tapan Kumar Rout .... ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Behera, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha .... ***Opposite Party***

Mr. A.K. Pati, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

12.11.2026

Order No.

01. 1. Since both the ABLAPLs relate to the same FIR, on the consent of the parties, they are taken up together for consideration and disposed of by this common order.

2. Heard learned respective counsel for the Petitioners in ABLAPL Nos.12891 and 12983 of 2026 and learned counsel for the State.

3. The Petitioners are seeking pre-arrest bail in connection with C.T. Case No.1312 of 2026 pending on the file of learned J.M.F.C., Basta, arising out of Baliapal P.S. Case No.484 of 2026 for commission of offences punishable under Sections 126(2), 296, 115(2), 74, 76, 324(4), 351(3), 3(5) of B.N.S 2023.

4. It is submitted by the learned respective counsel for the Petitioners that the matter is an offshoot of road rage and that exaggerated allegations have been made and since the Petitioners do not have any criminal proclivity, they may be protected by pre-arrest bail.

5. Learned counsel for the State opposes such prayer.

6. Considering the nature of allegations and punishment prescribed, it is directed that on

surrendering within three weeks hence and moving for bail, the Petitioners shall be released on bail by the learned Court in seisin on such terms as deemed just and proper subject to verification of criminal antecedent.

7. If it comes to fore that the Petitioners have any criminal antecedent, this order shall not be given effect to.

8. Additionally, it is directed that Petitioners shall appear before the jurisdictional police station once every Sunday on such date and time to be fixed by the learned Court in seisin till the submission of final form. Certification of such appearance shall be submitted to the Court in seisin.

9. It is needless to state that the Petitioners shall cooperate with the ongoing investigation.

10. Accordingly, the ABLAPLs stand disposed of.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge

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