

02. 30.09.2020

Heard Mr. U.C. Jena, learned counsel for petitioner and Ms. Sanjibani Mishra, learned Additional Standing Counsel through video conferencing mode.

During course of hearing, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner intends to surrender before the learned J.M.F.C., Basta in connection with 2(a) C.C. Case No.11 of 2020 arising out of Basta Excise P.R. No.92 of 2019-20 and move for bail and also submits that in case of rejection of his bail application, he may be permitted to move the higher forum on the same day.

Considering the submissions made, this Court observes that in the event, the petitioner surrenders before the learned J.M.F.C., Basta in connection with the above noted case within a period of two weeks hence and move for bail, the same shall be disposed of in accordance with law in the first hour. In case rejection of the bail application, the petitioner may move for bail in the next higher forum on the same day. Case diary may be made available. Records, if necessary, be transmitted at the cost of the petitioner. It is made clear that no further extension of time with regard to surrender of the petitioner shall be granted and the court below while considering the application for bail, shall give due consideration to the antecedents, if any, of the petitioner.

The ABLAPL is disposed of.

Learned counsel for the parties may utilize the soft copy of this order available in the High Court's Website or print out thereof at par with certified copy in the manner prescribed, vide Court's Notice No.4587 dated 25.03.2020.

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**Biswajit Mohanty,J.**