

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.11364 of 2025

Prasanta Kar @ Prasanta Kumar Kar Petitioner

Mr. A. Mishra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

Opposite Party

Mr. R. Pradhan, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH ORDER 29.09.2025

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Order No.

- **01.** 1. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner and learned counsel for the State.
 - 2. The Petitioner is seeking pre-arrest bail in connection with G.R. Case No.94 of 2025 pending on the file of learned Court of the Gram Nyalaya-cum-J.M.F.C., Sukinda, arising out of Kalinganagar P.S. Case No.56 of 2025 for commission of offences punishable under Sections 316(2)/3(5) of BNS, 2023.
 - 3. It is submitted by the learned counsel that the present Petitioner was before this Court in ABLAPL No.10131 of 2025 and this Court by order dated 08.09.2025 directed them to surrender and be release on bail subject to verification of criminal antecedent.
 - 4. It is submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioners that inadvertently it could not be brought to



the notice of this Court that the present Petitioner has one criminal antecedent i.e. Jakhapura P.S. Case No.29 of 2018, U/s 407/379/120-B/34 of I.P.C.,. Hence, this application.

- 5. It is further submitted that non-mentioning of the criminal antecedent is bonafide. Hence, the Petitioners may be protected by pre-arrest bail.
- 6. Learned counsel for the State opposes such prayer.
- 7. Taking into account the nature of allegations, it is directed that on surrendering within three weeks hence and moving for bail, the Petitioner shall be released on bail by the learned Court in seisin on such terms as deemed just and proper.
- 8. It is needless to state that the Petitioner shall cooperate with the ongoing investigation.
- 9. Accordingly, the ABLAPL stands disposed of.

(V. NARASINGH) Vacation Judge

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