

Dinabandhu Das vs State Of Odisha Opposite Party on 1 July, 2021

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Bench: S.Pujahari

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.7581 of 2021

Dinabandhu Das	Petitioner
	-versus-	
State of Odisha	Opposite Party

CORAM: JUSTICE S.PUJAHARI

ORDER

Order No. 02.07.2021

02. 1. This matter is taken up by video conferencing mode.

2. The petitioner in this case apprehending his arrest in Sadar Police Station Case No.16 of 2021, pending in the court of JMFC(R), Cuttack, registered for alleged commission of offences punishable under Sections 272/273/420 read with Section 34 of the I.P.C. and Sections 51/52/53/56/57/59/63 of the food Safety and Standards Act, has filed this petition for his release on pre-arrest bail.

3. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for the State.

4. It appears that the petitioner has approached this Court in ABLAPL No.582 of 2021 and the same was rejected as not pressed vide order dated 30.04.2021.

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5. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that a co-accused has been released on bail by the Court of Hon'ble the Chief Justice and as such, the petitioner be released on pre-arrest bail.

6. Learned counsel for the State submits that the aforesaid co-accused has been released on bail under Section 439 of Cr.P.C.

7. Be that as it may, since the material shows indictment of the petitioner in offences under Food

Safety and Standards Act for selling adulterated tea leaves in the name of different reputed brand and the offence is serious one, I am not inclined to release him on pre-arrest bail.

8. Accordingly, the ABLAPL stands dismissed.

(S. Pujahari) Judge RKS