

05. 31.03.2021: The matter is taken up through hybrid arrangement (virtual/physical) mode.

This is the second journey of the Petitioner who is in custody connection with Jagatpur P.S. Case No.151 of 2019 corresponding to G.R. Case No.670 of 2019 on the file of learned J.M.F.C.(R), Cuttack for alleged commission of offence under section 498-A/323/294/302/304-B/326(A)/506/34 of the IPC, in filing this application under section 439 of the Cr.P.C. for his release on bail.

Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner and learned counsel for the State.

Considering the submissions made and on going through the earlier orders dated 07.11.2019 passed by this Court in BLAPL No.8340 of 2019 as well as the materials on record as placed, finding no such change in the circumstances; while being not inclined to reconsider the prayer for grant of bail to the Petitioner. Taking into account the submission of the learned counsel for the Petitioner that the case has not yet been committed to the Court of Sessions, it is hereby observed that committing Court would do well to take all such effective steps as provided in law for conclusion of the committal proceeding in accordance with law in so far as the Petitioner is concerned, preferably within a period of one month hence.

The BLAPL is accordingly dismissed.

Issue urgent certified copy as per rules.

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***D. Dash, J.***

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