

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.349 of 2022

1. Hina Khuntia

2. Jhunu Khuntia

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Petitioners

Mr.S.K. Pradhan, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

....

Opp. Party

Mr.Arupananda Das,

Addl. Government Advocate

**CORAM:
JUSTICE S.K. SAHOO**

**ORDER
01.02.2022**

Order No.

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This matter is taken up through video conferencing.

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

This is an application under section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in connection with Kabisuryanagar P.S. Case No. 532 of 2021 corresponding to G.R. Case No.513 of 2021 pending in the Court of learned J.M.F.C., Kabisuryanagar for commission of alleged offences under sections 498-A, 506, 494/34 of the Indian Penal Code and section 4 of the Dowry Prohibition Act.

Perused the F.I.R. annexed to the anticipatory bail application.

Considering the submission made by the learned counsel for the petitioners that petitioners are the parents in-law of the victim, who is the daughter of the informant and the case arises out of a matrimonial dispute and the fact that the

offences are triable by Magistrate and on hearing the learned counsel for the State, I am inclined to release the petitioners on anticipatory bail and accordingly, this Court directs that in the event of arrest of the petitioners in connection with the aforesaid case, they shall be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/-(rupees ten thousand) each with two sureties each for the like amount to the satisfaction of the arresting officer with further conditions that they shall make themselves available for interrogation by the I.O. as and when required and they shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing any facts to the Courts or to the Investigating Officer.

Violation of any of the above conditions shall entail cancellation of bail.

The ABLAPL is accordingly disposed of.

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 office order dated 7th January 2022.

(S.K. Sahoo)
Judge

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