

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.1558 of 2022

Rabindra Behera

....

Petitioner

Mr. M.K. Mallick, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

....

Opp. Party

*Mr. D.K. Pani,
Addl. Standing Counsel*

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

ORDER

23.02.2022

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01. This matter is taken up through Hybrid arrangement (video conferencing/physical mode).

Learned counsel for the petitioner files the copy of the F.I.R., which is taken on record.

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

This is an application under section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in connection with G.R. Case No.972 of 2018 arising out of Cuttack Sadar P.S. Case No.213 of 2018 pending in the Court of learned J.M.F.C. (Rural), Cuttack for alleged commission of offences under sections 471/468/420/506/294 of the Indian Penal Code.

Perused the F.I.R.

Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the case arises out of a

complaint petition and the complainant Labanya Behera is the sister of the petitioner and there was civil dispute between the parties for which the case has been foisted and the offences are triable by Magistrate and on hearing the learned counsel for the State and taking into account the nature of accusation against the petitioner, I am inclined to release the petitioner on anticipatory bail and accordingly, this Court directs that in the event of arrest of the petitioner in connection with the aforesaid case, he shall be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (rupees ten thousand) with two sureties each for the like amount to the satisfaction of the arresting officer with further conditions that he shall make himself available for interrogation by the I.O. as and when required and he 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 such facts to the Court or to the Investigating Officer.

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

The ABLAPL is accordingly disposed of.

Urgent certified copy of this order be granted on proper application.

(S.K. Sahoo)
Judge