

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.2858 of 2022

Swagat Sahoo

....

Petitioner

Mr.A.K. Pandey, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

....

Opp. Party

Mr. A. Das,

Addl. Government Advocate

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

**ORDER
19.04.2022**

Order No.

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

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

This is an application under section 438 of Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in connection with Jodapadar P.S. Case No. 18 of 2022 corresponding to Spl. G.R. No.05 of 2022 pending in the Court of learned Addl. Sessions Judge -cum- Special Court under POSCO Act, Puri for the commission of the alleged offences punishable under sections 450, 363, 376(2)(n), 354-C, 506/34 of the Indian Penal Code and section 6 of the POSCO Act.

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

bail application.

In view of the 164 Cr.P.C. statement of the victim and the nature and gravity of accusation, while not inclining to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner, liberty is granted to the petitioner to surrender and move for bail in the Court below within a period of four weeks from today in the event of which the learned Court below shall dispose of the same in accordance with law. The case records shall be made available to the Court concerned for disposal of the bail application.

The ABLAPL stands disposed of.

Issue urgent certified copy as per Rules.

