

IN THE HIGH COURT OF O3SSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.3644 of 2022

Banambar Bhutia

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Petitioner

Mr.B.B. Routray, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

....

Opp. Party

*Mrs. Susamarani Sahoo,
Addl. Standing Counsel*

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

**ORDER
19.05.2022**

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 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in connection with Talcher P.S. Case No.210 of 2022 corresponding to G.R. Case No.706 of 2022 pending in the Court of learned S.D.J.M., Talcher for alleged commission of offences under sections 379/120-B of the Indian Penal Code read with section 51 of the Odisha Minor Minerals Concession Rules, 2016.

Perused the first information report annexed to the anticipatory bail application.

Considering the submission made by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner has not been

named as an accused in the first information report and he has been falsely entangled in the case as because he is the owner of the offending tipper and on hearing the learned counsel for the State, who submitted that the petitioner is having no criminal antecedent, 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