

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.5992 of 2022

1. Sebati Jena

2. Trinath Jena

**3. Tapan Patra @ Tapan
Kumar Patra**

**4. Pradeep Giri @ Pradeep
Kumar Giri**

.... Petitioners

Mr. A.R. Panda, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha

.... Opp. Party

Smt. Susamarani Sahoo,
Addl. Standing Counsel

CORAM:

JUSTICE S.K. SAHOO

ORDER

21.06.2022

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

Heard 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 C.T. Case No.389 of 2022 arising out of Balasore Sadar P.S. Case No.134 of 2022 pending in the Court of learned J.M.F.C. (Rural), Balasore for alleged commission of offences under sections 341/294/427/506/34 of the Indian Penal Code read with section 3 of the Prevention of Damage to Public Property Act, 1984.

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

Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioners that on account of protest of the petitioners to the construction of substandard work, the case has been foisted and 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 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