

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.6132 of 2022

Budhadev Giri @ ***Petitioner***
Buddhadeb Giri

Mr.D.Mishra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha ***Opp. Party***

*Mr. Rajesh Tripathy,
Addl. Standing Counsel*

CORAM:

JUSTICE S.K. SAHOO

ORDER

28.06.2022

Order No.

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

Heard the 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 Ramachandrapur P.S. Case No. 92 of 2022 corresponding to G.R. (G.N.) Case No. 183 of 2022 pending in the Court of learned N.G.N., Ghasipura for the commission of the alleged offences punishable under sections 379, 411/34 of the Indian Penal Code, sections 11(1)(a)(d) of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act (PCA) 1990 and sections 3 and 7 of the Odisha Prevention of Cow Slaughter Act, 1960.

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

Considering the submission made by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the offences are triable by Magistrate and the similarly situated co-accused persons have already been granted bail in ABLAPL No.5637 of 2022 and ABLAPL No.5638 of 2022 and on hearing the learned counsel for the State, 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 any facts to the Courts or to the Investigating Officer.

The ABLAPL is accordingly disposed of.

Issue urgent certified copy as per Rules.

(S.K. Sahoo)
Judge

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