

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.7726 of 2022

Prasant Jena @ Pandi @ Pandu & Petitioners
another

Mr.Amitav Tripathy, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha Opp.Party
Mr.P.C.Das, A.S.C.

CORAM:

JUSTICE A.K. MOHAPATRA

ORDER

08.08.2022

Order No.

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual /Physical Mode).
2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioners and the learned Additional Standing Counsel. Perused the records.
3. This is an application under Section 438 Cr.P.C. filed by the Petitioners for anticipatory bail.
4. It is submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioners that the Petitioners are innocent persons having no nexus with the alleged commission of offence. It is also submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioners that the names of the Petitioners do not find place in the F.I.R. It is contended by the learned counsel for the Petitioners that the informant has foisted this case with false and concocted allegation against the Petitioners
5. Considering the nature of allegations made, gravity of the offence and the fact of the case, I am not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the Petitioners. However, it is directed that in the

event the Petitioners surrender before the learned S.D.J.M., Nayagarh in G.R.Case No.298 of 2022 arising out of Nayagarh P.S.Case No.65 of 2022 within a period of three weeks from today and move for bail, they shall be released on bail on such terms and conditions as would be deemed just and proper by the learned Magistrate and subject to verification of injury.

6. The ABLAPL is accordingly disposed of.
7. Issue urgent certified copy of the order as per Rules.

(A.K. Mohapatra)
Judge

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