

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.9919 of 2022

Basanta Swain and others ***Petitioners***
Mr. L. Mahapatra, Advocate
-versus-
State of Odisha ***Opp. Party***
Mr. S. Patra, A.S.C.

CORAM:

JUSTICE A.K. MOHAPATRA

ORDER

26.09.2022

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual /Physical Mode).
 2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned Additional Standing Counsel for the State.
 3. This is an application under Section 438, Cr.P.C. filed by the petitioners for anticipatory bail.
 4. The petitioners are seeking pre-arrest bail in connection with G.R. Case No.746 of 2022, arising out of Nandankanan P.S. Case No.94 of 2022 pending in the court of learned J.M.F.C.(O), Bhubaneswar for commission of offences punishable under Sections 147/148/341/323/294/427/384/387/354/149/506/120-B/153/153-B, I.P.C.
 5. Considering the nature of allegation, gravity of 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 surrenders and moves an application for bail before the learned court in seisin over the matter within a period of three weeks from today in

the aforesaid case, he shall be released on bail on such terms and conditions as would be deemed just and proper with further conditions that :-

- I. The petitioners shall cooperate with the Investigating Officer as and when required for the purpose of investigation;
- II. they shall not indulge in similar criminal activities while on bail; and
- III. they shall not default in attendance of the court during trial on each date of posting.

Violation of any of the terms and conditions shall entail cancellation of bail.

7. Accordingly, the ABLAPL is disposed of.

Urgent certified copy of this order be granted on proper application.

(*A.K. Mohapatra*)
Judge

Jagabandhu