

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.11058 of 2022

Sk.Chandmulla & others ***Petitioners***
Mr. Hemanta Kumar Mohanta, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha ***Opp. Party***
Mr.M.K.Mohanty, A.S.C.

CORAM:

JUSTICE A.K. MOHAPATRA

ORDER

13.09.2022

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01. 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 criminal antecedents and have been falsely implicated in the present case only to harass them.
5. Considering the nature of allegations made, gravity of the offence and the facts 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., Baripada

in C.T.Case No.1555 of 2022 arising out of Baripada Town P.S.Case No.721 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, but subject to verification of criminal antecedent of similar nature against the Petitioners.

6. Accordingly, the ABLAPL is disposed of.
7. Issue urgent certified copy of this order as per Rules.

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