

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.12923 of 2022

***Santilata Sethi @ Naru Sethi and
another*** ***Petitioners***

Mr. S. Dwibedi, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha ***Opp. Party***
Mr. S. Mishra, A.S.C.

CORAM:

JUSTICE A.K. MOHAPATRA

ORDER

10.10.2022

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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 learned Additional Standing Counsel for the State.
3. This is an application under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in connection with G.R. Case No.352 of 2022 arising out of Ranpur P.S. Case No.233 of 2022 pending in the Court of learned J.M.F.C., Ranpur for alleged commission of offences under Sections 341/294/323/325/307/506/34, I.P.C.
4. 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 surrender and move 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, they shall be released on bail on such terms and conditions as would be deemed just and proper.

5. It is further directed that the bail granted to the petitioners is subject to the condition that learned court below shall verify whether the petitioners have any criminal antecedents of similar nature. In the event it is found that the petitioners have any criminal antecedents of similar nature, this bail order shall automatically stand revoked.

6. It is further directed that the bail granted to the petitioners is subject to the condition that learned court below shall verify whether injuries sustained by the injured are grievous in nature. In the event it is found that the injury is grievous in nature, this bail order shall automatically stand revoked.

7. Accordingly, the ABLAPL is disposed of.

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

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