

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.13469 of 2022

Baikuntha Bihari Pradhan and others ***Petitioners***

Mr. B. Mohanty, Advocate

-versus-

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

CORAM:

JUSTICE A.K. MOHAPATRA

ORDER

19.10.2022

Order No.

01. 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual /Physical Mode).

Learned counsel for the petitioners is permitted to make necessary so far as the G.R. case number and also name of the court are concerned in Court today.

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.593 of 2022, arising out of Tirtol P.S. Case No.635 of 2022 pending in the court of learned J.M.F.C., Tirtol for commission of offences punishable under Sections 341/323/307/294/506/34, 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 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 subject to condition that they shall furnish cash security of Rs.1,000/- (rupees one thousand) each with further conditions that besides other conditions would be imposed by the learned court below while releasing the petitioner on bail with further conditions that :-

- I. The petitioners shall cooperate with the Investigating Officer as and when required for the purpose of investigation; and
- II. they shall not indulge in similar criminal activities while on bail.

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

6. Accordingly, the ABLAPL is disposed of.

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

(A.K. Mohapatra)
Judge