

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No. 16677 of 2021

***Mangal @ Himanshu
Sekhar Behera***

.... Petitioner

*Mr. Mohendra Kumar Mohapatro,
Advocate*

-versus-

State of Odisha

.... Opp. Party

*Mr. D.K. Pani,
Addl. Standing Counsel*

CORAM:

JUSTICE S.K. SAHOO

ORDER

Order No.

24.01.2022

01. This matter is taken up through Video Conferencing Mode. *संक्षिप्त न्यायो*

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for the State.

This is an application under section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in connection with G.R. Case No.2423 of 2021 arising out of Patkura P.S. Case No.502 of 2021 pending in the Court of learned S.D.J.M., Kendrapara for alleged commission of offences under sections 341/294/324/506 of the Indian Penal Code.

Perused the F.I.R.

Considering the submission made by the learned counsel for the petitioner that due to political dispute between the parties, the case has been foisted that the offences are triable by Magistrate, the only non-bailable offence is under section 506 of the Indian Penal Code and on hearing the learned counsel for the State who submitted that the injured has sustained simple injury, I am inclined to release the petitioner on anticipatory bail and accordingly, this Court directs that in the event of arrest of the petitioner in connection with the aforesaid case, he shall be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (rupees ten thousand) with one surety for the like amount to the satisfaction of the arresting officer with further conditions that he shall make himself available for interrogation by the I.O. as and when required and he shall not, directly or indirectly, make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to the Investigating Officer.

Violation of any of the above conditions shall entail cancellation of bail.

The ABLAPL is accordingly disposed of.

Parties may utilize the soft copy of this order available in the High Court's website or print out thereof at par with certified copy in the manner

prescribed vide Office Order dated 7th January 2022.

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(S.K. Sahoo)
Judge

