IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No. 16823 of 2021

Papi @ Manoj Pani …. ***Petitioner***

Mr.B.K. Bal, *Advocate*

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opp. Party***

Mr. A.K. Beura
Addl. Standing Counsel

CORAM:

JUSTICE S.K. SAHOO

ORDER

Order No.

27.01.2022

01. This matter is taken up through Video Conferencing Mode.

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.412 of 2018 arising out of Nemalo P.S. Case No.44 of 2018 pending in the Court of learned J.M.F.C., Chandbali for alleged commission of offences under sections 341/323/294/326/427/506/34 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 and the offences are triable by Magistrate and taking into account the background of the case and the nature of accusation against the petitioner and on hearing the learned counsel for the State, 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

HIGH COURT
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