IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.12882 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010878002026

Sabita Maharana @ Moharana …. ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opposite Party***

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

ABLAPL No.12885 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010878012026

Gautam Maharana @ Goutam Maharana @ Bunty …. ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opposite Party***

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

ABLAPL No.12907 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010878052026

Minakshi Maharana @ Minakhi Moharana …. ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opposite Party***

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

ABLAPL No.12911 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010878082026

Srikanta Maharana @ Srikanta Moharana …. ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opposite Party***

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

ABLAPL No.12933 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010879202026

Manoj Maharana @ Manoj Moharana …. ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opposite Party***

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

ABLAPL No.12938 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010877902026

Sumi Maharana @ Sumitra Maharana …. ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opposite Party***

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

ABLAPL No.12940 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010877942026

Deepak Maharana @ Dipak Moharana …. ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opposite Party***

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

ABLAPL No.12947 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010879212026

Sanjukta Maharana @ Moharana …. ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opposite Party***

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

ABLAPL No.12949 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010879232026

Mama Maharana @ Maharana …. ***Petitioner***

Mr. A.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha …. ***Opposite Party***

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

12.11.2026

Order No.

01. 1. Since all the ABLAPLs relate to the same FIR, on the consent of the parties, they are taken up together for consideration and disposed of by this common order.

2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioners and learned counsel for the State.

3. The Petitioners are seeking pre-arrest bail in connection with G.R. Case No.1258 of 2026 pending on the file of learned J.M.F.C.-City, Cuttack arising out of Mangalabag P.S. Case No.445 of 2026 for commission of offences punishable under Sections 126/ 115(2)/ 324(2)/ 296/ 118(1)/ 351(3)/ 3(5) of BNS, 2023.

4. It is submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioners that omnibus nature of allegations have been made in a mechanical manner. Hence, they may be protected by pre-arrest bail.

5. Learned counsel for the State opposes such prayer.

6. Considering the nature of allegations and since this Court finds prima facie substance in the submission of the learned counsel for the Petitioners that the allegations of overt act is attributed to

Nirakara Moharana, who is not the Petitioner before this Court, it is directed that on surrendering within three weeks hence and moving for bail, the Petitioners shall be released on bail by the learned Court in seisin on such terms as deemed just and proper subject to verification of not any criminal antecedent of committing any offence triable by the Court of Session.

7. If it comes to fore that the Petitioners having any criminal antecedent of sessions triable offence, this order shall not be given effect to.

8. It is needless to state that the Petitioners shall cooperate with the ongoing investigation.

9. Accordingly, the ABLAPLs stand disposed of.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge

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