



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.5261 of 2024

1. Dillip Mallik **Petitioners**
2. Rabindra Mallik
3. Maheswar Malik
4. Subrat Mallik
5. Laxmidhar Mallik
6. Jisukhista Mallik
7. Sukanta Mallik @
Somanath

Mr. S. Mohanty, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha **Opposite Party**
Mr. C. Mohanty, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

08.01.2026

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- 02.** 1. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioners and learned counsel for the State.
2. The Petitioners are seeking pre-arrest bail in connection with G.R. Case No.124 of 2024 pending on the file of learned J.M.F.C., Baramba, arising out of Baramba P.S. Case No.86 of 2024 for commission of offences punishable under Sections 451/ 294/ 435/ 436/ 307/ 506/ 34 of the IPC.
3. It is submitted by the learned counsel on instruction that no one has injured in the act and



because of the counter case, exaggerated allegations have been made.

4. It is further submitted by the learned counsel that one of the co-accused has since been released on bail. Hence, the Petitioner may be protected by pre-arrest bail.

5. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for pre-arrest bail.

6. Taking into account the nature of allegations and the release of the co-accused, this Court directs 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 criminal antecedent of similar nature and nature of the injury.

7. If it comes to the fore that the Petitioners have any such criminal antecedent and the injured has suffered any grievous injury, 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 ABLAPL stands disposed of.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge