



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.7490 of 2026

Jyoti Malik & others

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Petitioners

Mr. A. Pattanaik, Advocate

-Versus-

State of Odisha

....

Opposite Party

Mr. S. Panda, ASC

CORAM:

MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAIAK

ORDER

09.07.2026

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1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and State.
2. Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 BNSS by the petitioners seeking pre-arrest bail in connection with Kendrapara Sadar P.S. Case No.64 of 2025 corresponding to G.R. Case No.226 of 2025 pending in the file of learned S.D.J.M., Kendrapara on the grounds stated.
3. Recorded the submissions of learned counsel for the respective parties. Mr. Pattanaik, learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the present accused persons should be allowed to surrender before the learned court below seeking regular bail and in case of rejection, to approach the Sessions Court pleading parity. Mr. Panda, learned ASC for the State submits that the names of the petitioners are mentioned in the FIR. Without expressing anything on merit of the case, this Court is inclined to grant the petitioners the liberty to surrender



before the court concerned seeking bail pleading parity for its decision on merit.

4. Accordingly, it is ordered.

5. In the result, the ABLAPL is disposed of with the liberty in favour of the petitioners to surrender before the learned S.D.J.M., Kendrapara within a fortnight from today and in the event, they move an application for regular bail, it shall be entertained in connection with G.R. Case No.226 of 2025 corresponding to Kendrapara Sadar P.S. Case No.64 of 2025 and disposed of during the first hour and in case rejected, to approach the Sessions Court for orders on the same day considering the plea of parity and for that, the lower court record shall be made available at the time of hearing.

6. Issue urgent certified copy of this order as per rules.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge