



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
ABLAPL No. 9361 of 2025

1. Kalia @ Kalandi Malik **Petitioners**
2. Mandia @ Santosh Malik
3. Badal Malik
4. Prakash Malik
5. Amuli @ Amulya Malik
6. Babaji Malik
7. Bhagia @ Sagar Malik
8. Trinath Malik
9. Aru @ Arun Malik
10. Charu @ Rina Malik
11. Baidhar Malik
12. Golaka @ Golakha Malik
13. Rajendra @ Rajkishore Malik
14. Jitan @ Jitendra Malik
15. Pramod Malik
16. Anadi Malik
17. Srikanta @ Rama Malik

Mr. A.K. Sahoo, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha **Opposite Party**

Mr. S. Panigrahi, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER

13.08.2025

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- 01.** 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.34 of 2025 pending on the file of learned J.M.F.C. (C.T) Court, Kendrapara,



arising out of Nikirai P.S. Case No.248 of 2025 for commission of offences punishable under Sections 296/ 109/ 324(4)/ 126(2)/ 115(2)/ 121(1)/ 121(2)/ 221/ 356(2)/ 304(2)/ 132/ 351(2)/ 351(3)/ 3(5) of BNS.

3. It is submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioners that it's a case of false implication. Hence, the Petitioners may be protected by pre-arrest bail.

4. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for pre-arrest bail inter alia on the ground that the Petitioner Nos.1 to 3, 5 to 8, 10 & 17 have criminal antecedents.

5. Taking note of the same, this Court is not inclined to entertain the ABLAPL in respect of Petitioner Nos.1 to 3, 5 to 8, 10 & 17 (Kalia @ Kalandi Malik, Mandia @ Santosh Malik, Badal Malik, Amuli @ Amulya Malik, Babaji Malik, Bhagia @ Sagar Malik, Trinath Malik, Charu @ Rina Malik & Srikanta @ Rama Malik respectively). However, in the event said Petitioner Nos.1 to 3, 5 to 8, 10 & 17 surrender before the learned Court in seisin in the aforesaid case and move an application for their release on bail, the same shall be considered on its own merit.

6. So far as Petitioner Nos.4, 9, 11 to 16 are concerned, taking into account the nature of allegations qua the said Petitioners, this Court directs that on surrendering within three weeks hence and



moving for bail, the Petitioner Nos.4, 9, 11 to 16 (Prakash Malik, Aru @ Arun Malik, Baidhar Malik, Golaka @ Golakha Malik, Rajendra @ Rajkishore Malik, Jitan @ Jitendra Malik, Pramod Malik & Anadi Malik respectively) shall be released on bail by the learned Court in seisin on such terms as deemed just and proper.

7. It is needless to state that the Petitioner Nos.4, 9, 11 to 16 shall cooperate with the ongoing investigation.

8. Accordingly, the ABLAPL stands disposed of.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge

Ayesha

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