



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

ABLAPL No.11805 of 2025

1. Jafar Khan **Petitioners**
2. Salimundin Khan
3. Sk Sarfaraj Alam
4. Arfit Khan
5. Mojaffar Khan
6. Irfaj Alam

Mr. S.S. Chaini, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha **Opposite Party**

Mr. S.K. Lenka, ASC

CORAM: JUSTICE V. NARASINGH

ORDER
16.10.2025

Order No.

- 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.822 of 2024 pending on the file of learned SDJM, Bhadrak, arising out of Bonth P.S. Case No.73 of 2025 for commission of offences punishable under Sections 109, 115(2), 118(1), 126(2), 296, 351(2) read with 3(5) of BNS 2023.
3. It is submitted by the learned counsel that omnibus nature of allegations have been made and the co-accused persons who were taken into custody have



been released on bail. Hence, they may be protected by pre-arrest bail.

4. Learned counsel for the State opposes such prayer, referring to the statements of the complainant and injured, and submits that some of the co-accused have already been forwarded.

5. It is stated by the learned counsel for the Petitioner, on instructions, that the said co-accused has been released on bail.

6. This Court perused the injury report, wherein the injuries have been categorized as simple.

7. Taking note of the same, 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.

8. If it comes to the fore that the Petitioners have more than one such criminal antecedent, this order shall not be given effect to.

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



10. Accordingly, the ABLAPL stands disposed of.
U.C.C. as per rules.

(V. NARASINGH)
Judge

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