

3. 30.03.2020 Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned Additional Government Advocate.

This application has been filed by the petitioners under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail in connection with G. Udayagiri P.S. Case No. 17 of 2020 corresponding to C.T. Case No. 53 of 2020 pending in the file of learned JMFC, G. Udayagiri, registered under section 498 (A), 494, 323, 294, 506, 34 IPC, read with Section 4 of the D.P. Act.

Perused the F.I.R. The petitioner Nos. 1 and 2 are the in-laws and retired government employees, and the petitioner No.3 is also working as a teacher. Taking into consideration the nature of allegation and the aforesaid fact, this Court directs that in the event of arrest of the petitioners in connection with the aforesaid case, they shall be released on bail by the arresting officer with such conditions as he deems fit and proper with further conditions that they shall cooperate with the investigation and shall be available before the investigating agency as and when required for the purpose of investigation.

The ABLAPL is accordingly disposed of.

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**S. Panda,**  
**Acting Chief Justice**

