

## BLAPL/1212/2021 on 7 May, 2021

BLAPL No.1212 of 2021

3 07.5.2021 This matter is taken up through video conferencing.

Heard learned counsel for the Petitioners and learned counsel for the State.

This is an application under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of bail to the Petitioners in connection with G.R.Case No.202 of 2021 arising out of Angul Sadar P.S.Case No.44 of 2021 pending in the court of the learned S.D.J.M., Angul for alleged commission of offence under Sections 272/273/420/468/471/34 of the I.P.C. read with Sections 51/52/56/59/63 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, Section 16 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, Section 32 of Legal Metrology (Packaged Commodities) Rules, 2011, Section 36 of Legal Metrology Act-2009.

It is submitted on behalf of the Petitioners that they are inside custody since 29.1.2021 and in the meantime, charge sheet has been submitted upon investigation for the aforesaid offences except the offence under Sections 272/273 of the I.P.C.

Mr.Kanungo, learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for bail by submitting that huge quantity of palmolein oil has been recovered from a building under possession of Petitioners 1 and 2 and they were not having either food license or trade license or any required permission for preparation of any food item.

Considering the nature of allegations and after hearing both parties, the prayer for bail of the Petitioners are rejected.

However, as prayed for by the Petitioners, they are at liberty to renew their prayer for bail after commencement of the trial.

Copy of this order be uploaded in the High Court's official website as per Court's Notice No.4798, dated  
crb 15th April, 2021.

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B.P.Routray Vacation Judge cr b