

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.29976 of 2015

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -162 Year- 2013 Thana -BHELDI District- SARAN

Uma Kant Pandey Son of Sri Ramdutt Pandey, Resident of Village -
Tarwara, P.S. - Bheldi, District - Saran.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

.... Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Kumar Ravish

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Prem Kr.Jha(App)

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR JHA

ORAL ORDER

3 22-09-2015 Heard both sides

The petitioner seeks bail in a case under Sections
467, 468, 409, 420 of the Indian Penal Code.

The petitioner was a Clerk-cum-Cashier in Chapra
Branch of the Bank of India. One of the account holders of the
Bank made complaint regarding illegal withdrawal from his
account. On enquiry it was found that the petitioner, while
working as Clerk-cum-Cashier, illegally withdrew huge sums of
money from the accounts of different account holders. The Branch
Manager of the Bank of India has already lodged a case for illegal
withdrawal. The petitioner made interpolations in the accounts of
different account holders and withdrew huge amount illegally. It is

submitted that the family of the petitioner has already deposited Rs. 5,70,000/- with the Bank. It is submitted that the petitioner is in jail for about a year. The petitioner has already been dismissed from service.

Having considered the nature of allegation and the fact that the petitioner, being a Clerk-cum-Cashier, illegally withdrew huge amount from accounts of different account holders including the informant, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail in Bheldi P.S. Case No. 162 of 2013 (G.R. No. 4255/13). Accordingly, the same is rejected.

The trial court is directed to expedite the trial and conclude the same within nine months from the date of receipt / production of this order.

(Prabhat Kumar Jha, J)

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