

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.50382 of 2014

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -20 Year- 2012 Thana -AKHODHIGOLA District- SASARAM
(ROHTAS)

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1. Ranjan Kumar @ Pintu @ Pintu Singh Son of Late Brahmdeo Singh
Resident of village & P.S.- Bank, P.S.- Akorhigola, District- Rohtas

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar

.... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Dhaneshwar Prasad Gupta
For the Opposite Party/s Mr. Raj Ballabh Singh(App)
For the informant Mr. Ramanuj Tiwary

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HEMANT KUMAR
SRIVASTAVA
ORAL ORDER

03/ 31.03.2015 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned
Addl. Public Prosecutor for the State.

Earlier prayer for bail of the petitioner was rejected by a
coordinate bench of this court and this second bail petition has been
filed on behalf of the petitioner on the ground that the petitioner is
languishing in jail custody since 17.12.2012 and up till now, his trial
has not been concluded.

Superintendent of Police, Rohtas reported to this court vide
letter no. 33 dated 13.01.2015 that out of seven proposed prosecution
witnesses, four witnesses have already been examined and the case is
pending for recording the depositions of remaining prosecution
witnesses.

In view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances as well as
submissions of the parties, prayer for bail of the petitioner in

connection with Sessions trial no. 377/2013 arising out of Akorhigola P.S. case no.20/2012 pending in the court of Addl. Sessions Judge VI, Rohtas stands rejected.

However, trial court is directed to conclude the trial of the petitioner within six months from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order, failing which the petitioner shall be entitled to renew his prayer for bail before trial court itself.

Let a copy of this order be sent to Superintendent of Police, Rohtas with direction to him to ensure presence of remaining prosecution witnesses before Addl. Sessions Judge VI, Rohtas within three months from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order.

It is made clear that any failure on the part of Superintendent of Police, Rohtas shall be viewed seriously.

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(Hemant Kumar Srivastava,J)

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