

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**Criminal Miscellaneous No.680 of 2015**

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -146 Year- 2012 Thana -SAHEBGANJ District- MUZAFFARPUR

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Niranjan Sharma, Son of Mohan Sharma, R/o Village – Sahebganj Pratap  
Patti, P.S. Sahebganj, District Muzaffarpur

.... .... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

.... .... Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance:**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR JHA**

**ORAL ORDER**

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Heard both sides.

The petitioner seeks regular bail in Sahebganj P.S.  
Case No. 146 of 2012 under Section 304(B) of the Indian Penal  
Code.

The informant made allegation that on account of  
non-fulfillment of demand of dowry, his daughter was burnt to  
death within one year of her marriage.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that on  
account of some confusion the case has been lodged, but the  
informant later on filed a petition denying the death of his  
daughter on account of non-fulfillment of demand of dowry.

It appears that the victim died within one year of her  
marriage due to burn injury and the informant made a very  
specific allegation against the petitioner, husband.

Considering the nature of allegation, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail in Sahebganj P.S. Case No. 146 of 2012, pending before the learned S.D.J.M. (West), Muzaffarpur. Accordingly bail petition is rejected.

The Learned Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate (West), Muzaffarpur is directed to commit the case forthwith to the Court of Sessions, and on commitment of the case, the trial court is directed to expedite the trial and conclude the same within one year from the date of receipt / production of this order.

If the trial is not concluded within the aforesaid stipulated period, the petitioner may renew the prayer for bail thereafter.

**(Prabhat Kumar Jha, J)**

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