

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.45957 of 2015

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -248 Year- 2013 Thana -PAHARPUR District-
EASTCHAMPARAN(MOTIHARI)

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Mantu Mahto, S/o Pitambar Mahto, R/o village English Nuniya Tola, P.S.
Paharpur, District East Champaran.

.... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

.... Opposite Party

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Krishna Prasad Singh, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mrs. Pronoti Singh, A.P.P.

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHAKRADHARI
SHARAN SINGH
ORAL ORDER

4 03-12-2015 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

This application for grant of regular bail arises out of
Paharpur P.S. Case No. 248 of 2013, disclosing offences under
Sections 302, 120B/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

The petitioner is in custody since 04.08.2015. He is the
husband of the deceased.

As per the prosecution case, there was matrimonial
dispute between the petitioner and the deceased from earlier and
after having a compromise been reached between them, the
deceased had gone to her Sasural with the petitioner. Allegedly,
she was burnt to death by the petitioner and other family members

of the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that it is incorrect to say that on the date of occurrence, the deceased was living with the petitioner rather she was living with her parents.

The submission does not find support either from the case diary or from the application, seeking grant of bail that the deceased was not residing with the petitioner on the date of occurrence.

I do not find any merit in this application. This application is, accordingly, rejected.

The Court expects that the trial court shall make endeavour to expedite the trial.

(Chakradhari Sharan Singh, J)

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