

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.16140 of 2016

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -249 Year- 2002 Thana -GHOSI District- JEHANABAD

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1. Saroj Kumar son of Late Jagarnath Prasad resident of Village Medhi
Sonawan P.S. Islampur District- Nalanda.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar

.... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Bindeshwar Prasad Singh

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Asha Kumari(App)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HEMANT KUMAR
SRIVASTAVA
ORAL ORDER

2 21-04-2016 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

The petitioner left the Pairvi of his case in the year
2004 as a result whereof his bail bond was cancelled and,
subsequently, in the year 2011 he was declared absconder. The
petitioner was arrested by the police on the strength of permanent
warrant of arrest and produced before the trial court on 23.09.2015
and since then he is languishing in custody.

Submission on behalf of the petitioner is that charge
has already been framed against the petitioner and, therefore, there
is no need to keep the petitioner in jail custody as under trial
prisoner but I am not at all convinced with the aforesaid
submission and taking note of previous conduct of the petitioner,

the prayer for bail of petitioner in connection with Ghoshi P.S. case No. 249 of 2002 (S. Tr. No. 69/16 10/16) stands rejected. However, learned trial court is directed to expedite the trial of the petitioner and try to conclude the same as early as possible, preferably, within four months by taking the trial of the petitioner on day to day basis. It is made clear that if the trial of the petitioner is not concluded within the above stated period of four months, the petitioner may renew his prayer for bail before the trial court itself.

(Hemant Kumar Srivastava, J)

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