

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.18781 of 2016

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -2192 Year- 2013 Thana -GOPALGANJ COMPLAINT CASE District-
GOPALGANJ

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Santosh Mahato, son of Hardeo Mahto, resident of Village-Luhusi, P.S.-
Uchkagaon, District-Gopalganj

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Suganti Devi, wife of Santosh Mahato, resident of village-Luhusi,
P.S.-Uchkagaon, District-Gopalganj, daughter of Late Kamal
Mahato, resident of Village + P.S.-Mohammadpur, District-
Gopalganj

.... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Naresh Prasad

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Nagendra Prasad (App)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 29-04-2016 The petitioner being husband of the complainant is apprehending his arrest in a complaint case wherein processes were directed to be issued after cognizance being taken for the offences punishable under Sections 406, 498A of the Indian Penal Code.

The basic accusation is of torture.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner on instruction that petitioner admits his marriage with the complainant and is ready to keep the complainant as wife with full dignity and honour. A statement to that effect has been made in para 6 of the petition which reads as follows:-

“That the petitioner is
husband of the complainant and he is ready to keep
her with dignity and honour.”

Considering the present stand of the petitioner, let the petitioner, above named, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the Court below within a period of 12 weeks from today, be released on provisional anticipatory bail for one year on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Gopalganj in connection with Complaint Case No. 2192 of 2013, Trial No. 2133 of 2016.

Let learned Court below issue notice to the complainant and fix a date for her appearance. On appearance, the petitioner will take the complainant to her matrimonial house to keep her as wife with full dignity and honour.

The provisional anticipatory bail of the petitioner will be confirmed by the learned Court below in three eventualities (i) On substantial restoration of the matrimonial harmony within a period of one year (ii) If the complainant fails to appear before learned Court below (iii) If the complainant is reluctant to reconcile the issue.

(Dinesh Kumar Singh, J)

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