

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.44976 of 2017

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -209 Year- 2008 Thana -NAWADA District- NAWADA

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Rajesh Choudhary, son of Late Mahendra Choudhary, R/o Village- Line
Dan Mirjapur, P.S.- Nawada, District- Nawada.

.... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

.... Opposite Party

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sheo Kumar Prasad

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Manish Kumar 2

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

3 17-10-2017 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner.

This is an application for bail in connection with Nawada
Town P.S. Case No. 209 of 2008, corresponding to Sessions Trial
No. 334 of 2017/21 of 2017, registered for the offences
punishable under Sections 364A and 120B of the Indian Penal
Code.

Allegation against the petitioner is of kidnapping and
demanding ransom.

Submission of learned counsel for the petitioner is that he
is not named in the FIR and later on his name transpires during
course of investigation and other co-accused persons have been
acquitted in this case after completion of trial and petitioner is in
custody for seven months.



Heard learned APP also, who has opposed the prayer for bail stating that petitioner was absconding in this case and, as such, his trial is separated and the case is of the year 2008.

Having heard both sides and in view of the conduct of the petitioner, I am not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

However, learned trial court is directed to expedite the trial and try to conclude it within a period of six months on regular basis. At the same time, Superintendent of Police, Nawada is directed to ensure presence of the witnesses in court so that trial be concluded within the specified period.

With the above observation, this application is dismissed.

(Vinod Kumar Sinha, J)

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