

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.56220 of 2017

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -120 Year- 2017 Thana -JAKKANPUR District- PATNA

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Md. Afroz, S/o Md. Usman, R/o Rup Nagar, Ward No. 40, P.S.-Saharsa
Nagar, District-Saharsa.

.... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

.... Opposite Party

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Kumar Rajeev

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Dilip Kumar

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

2 23-11-2017 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner.

This is an application for bail in connection with
Jakkanpur P.S.Case No. 120 of 2017 registered for the offences
punishable under Section 379 of the Indian Penal Code.

Petitioner is not named in the FIR and later on his name
transpires in the confessional statement of co-accused.

Submission of learned counsel for the petitioner is that
nothing has been recovered from his possession and no T.I.P. has
been held and further submission is that though he is accused in
eight other cases but in most of the case he has been made accused
only on the basis of confessional statement and he is in custody
since 11.9.2017 in this case.

Heard learned APP also.



Having heard both sides and considering the facts and circumstances of the case, 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 nine months. If trial is not concluded within the said period, petitioner may renew his prayer for bail before the court below itself, which will be considered on the basis of materials available on record. Needless to say that petitioner has to co-operate in disposal of trial.

With the above observation, this application is dismissed.

(Vinod Kumar Sinha, J)

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