

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Criminal Miscellaneous No.29766 of 2017

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -216 Year- 2000 Thana -KHAGARIA COMPALINT CASE District-
KHAGARIA

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1. Subhash Prasad Singh, S/o Roopchi Singh,
 2. Anjana Devi, W/o Amik Singh, Both resident of Village- Sripur, P.S.- Naugachhia, District- Bhagalpur.

.... Petitioners

Versus

1. The State of Bihar.
2. Sahila Devi, W/o Subhash Prasad Singh, resident of Village- Sripur, P.S.- Naugachhia, District- Bhagalpur. at present residing at Village- Sondiha, P.S.- Gogri, District- Khagaria.

.... Opposite Parties

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Appearance :

For the Petitioners : Mr. Ranjeet Kumar Singh, Advocate.
For the State : Mr. Binod Kumar 3, A.P.P.
For the O.P. No. 2 : None.

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

6 05-02-2018 Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned
A.P.P. for the State. None appears for opposite party no. 2.

The petitioners are apprehending their arrest in a case
for the offence registered under Section 498(A) of the IPC.

The prosecution story, in brief, is that the accused
persons including the petitioners tortured the victim due to non-
fulfillment of demand of dowry.

It has been submitted by learned counsel for the
petitioners that the petitioners have got no criminal antecedent.
There is no allegation of tampering with the witnesses alleged



against the petitioners. The petitioners have falsely been implicated in the present case due to petty family dispute. The petitioner no. 1 is the husband of the victim and petitioner no. 2 is *Gotani* of the victim. The case is triable by the Magistrate. The petitioners have further relied upon the judgment of this Court in the case of Md. Naimul Haque Ansari @ Naimul Haque Ansari & Ors. Vs. The State of Bihar, reported in 2006(3) PLJR 182.

On behalf of the learned counsel for the State, it has been submitted that the petitioners are named in the F.I.R/ complaint case.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, let the petitioners above named, in the event of arrest or surrender before the learned court below within a period of six weeks from today, be released on anticipatory bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Ten Thousand) each with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned S.D.J.M. Khagaria, in connection with Complaint Case No. 216C of 2000, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

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(Sudhir Singh, J)