

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.32968 of 2017

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-73 Year-2016 Thana- KAUAKOL District- Nawada

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1. Karu Manjhi. Son of Late Jiva Manjhi
 2. Manohar Manjhi, Son of Karu Manjhi, Resident of Village-
Gandhi Dham, P.S. Kawakola, District- Nawada.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sheo Kumar Prasad

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. SRI MANOJ KUMAR - 1

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SRIVASTAVA
ORAL ORDER

4 31-10-2017 Heard learned counsels for the petitioners and the State.

Petitioners apprehend arrest in connection with Kawakola
P.S. Case No. 73 of 2016 registered for the offence punishable
under sections 302, 201/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioners submits that
petitioner no. 1 is father-in-law and petitioner no. 2 is the
husband of the victim. During investigation no witness has
supported the allegations against these petitioners. The daughter
of the informant might have fled away with her children.

Learned Addl. P.P. appearing for the State opposes the
prayer for bail and submits that victim is still traceless.
Petitioners, being the husband and father-in-law is very much
responsible to trace out the victim. They did not lodge any FIR



in this regard. During investigation, witnesses have said that husband and wife always used to quarrel. It has also come that she was brutally assaulted, done to death and thereafter her dead body was made to disappear.

Considering the nature of allegations levelled, the materials available on record and the submissions advanced on behalf of the parties, this Court does not find it to be a fit case for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners. The same is, therefore, rejected.

(Arvind Srivastava, J)

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