

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.11891 of 2018

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-835 Year-2017 Thana- BETTIAH CITY District- West
Champaran

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Sujeet Kumar Patel, son of Sh. Suresh Kumar Patel @ Suresh Patel, Resident
of Village- Saraswati Nagar, Police Station- Bettiah Mufassil, District- West
Champaran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar.

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Manoj Kumar

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Sri Shailendra Kumar -2

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

3 09-04-2018 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the
learned APP for the State.

Petitioner, already in custody, seeks bail in connection
with Bettiah Town P.S. Case No.835 of 2017, registered under
Sections 363 and 365 of the Indian Penal Code as well as under
Section 8 of the POCSO Act.

Allegation in brief is that the daughter of the
informant was kidnapped by the accused persons for ransom of
Rs.20,00,000/-.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is friend of Shubham Gupta with whom the daughter
of the informant eloped away and the petitioner is not named in
the FIR; whereas the learned counsel for the State submits that



the statement of the victim girl discloses that this petitioner kidnapped her and played active role in her kidnapping and demanding ransom.

Having considered the nature of offence and the alleged involvement of the petitioner, the prayer of bail of the petitioner is rejected in connection with Bettiah Town P.S. Case No.835 of 2017 pending in the court of learned ADJ, 1st-cum-Special Judge, Bettiah.

(Arun Kumar, J)

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