

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.53199 of 2018

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -42 Year- 2017 Thana -RATANPURA District- SUPAUL

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Punam Devi, Wife of Late Indradev Singh, resident of Village - Dhadha,
Ward No. 01, Police Station - Ratanpura, District - Supaul.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar.

.... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Arun

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Sri Vinod Shankar Modi

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJEEV RANJAN
PRASAD
ORAL ORDER

2 08-10-2018 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

Petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in connection
with Ratanpura P.S. Case No.42 of 2017 registered for offences
punishable under Sections 304B and 201/34 of the Indian Penal
Code.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is widow mother-in-law of the deceased and in the
present case the husband of the deceased has already been granted
regular bail by a learned co-ordinate Bench of this Court vide
order dated 10.05.2018 passed in Cr.Misc.No.15181 of 2018. It is
submitted that there is no specific allegation against this petitioner
and in fact the witnesses in the case diary have stated that the



daughter-in-law of this petitioner died of snake biting and body was thrown in the river because the dead body of a person due to snake bite is not burnt.

On the other hand, learned APP for the State opposed the prayer for anticipatory bail by submitting that the petitioner is absconding in the case and process under Section 83 Cr.P.C. has also been issued.

In the given facts and circumstances of the case, where process under Section 83 Cr.P.C. has already been issued, if the petitioner surrenders in the court below within four weeks from today and prays for regular bail, in the facts and circumstances of the case, the court below will consider the bail application of the petitioner on the same day keeping in mind that the husband of the deceased has already been granted regular bail by a learned coordinate Bench of this Court.

This application is disposed off with the aforesaid observations and directions.

(Rajeev Ranjan Prasad, J)

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