

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.52733 of 2018

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -1180 Year- 2017 Thana -PATNA COMPLAINT CASE District-
PATNA

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1. Manoj Kumar @ Dr. Manoj Kumar S/o Ram Prasad Mahto, R/o Vill.-
Professor Colony, Maulaganj, P.S.- Laheriasarai, District- Darbhanga.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar.
2. Smt. Poonam Bharti W/o Dr. Manoj Kumar, D/o Shivendra Kumar
Mahto, R/o Mohalla- Kusumpura Colony Opposite Ramashish Apartment ,
Gola Road, P.S.- Rupaspur, District- Patna.

.... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Shivendra Kumar Sinha
For the State : Mr. Nityanand Tiwary, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 04-09-2018 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, O.P. No. 2 and
learned APP for the State.

The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in a case registered
under Sections 406, 498A, 323 and 494 of the Indian Penal Code
and 3/4 of Dowry Prohibition Act.

Allegation against the petitioner is of committing torture
upon the victim due to non-fulfillment of demand of dowry.

It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner that the
petitioner has got no criminal antecedent. There is no allegation of
tampering of witnesses alleged against the petitioner. The
petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case due to



petty family dispute. The case is triable by the Magistrate. The petitioner has 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 State and O.P. No. 2 , it is submitted that the petitioner is named in the Complaint Case/F.I.R.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, let the petitioner, above named, in the event of arrest/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) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Danapur, Patna in connection with Complaint Case No. 1180(C) of 2017, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

If so advised, either of the parties will be at liberty to make an application before the Court below for referring the matter to the District Mediation Centre for the purpose of reconciliation or one time settlement.

(Sudhir Singh, J)

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