

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.25217 of 2018

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-51 Year-2015 Thana- KOCHAS District- Rohtas

Pradeep Kumar, Son of Dr. Premanand Singh, Resident of Village- Kochas,
P.S.- Kochas, District- Rohtas (Sasaram), Bihar.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar.

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Gajendra Nath Ojha
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Sri Asharaf Ansari

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY PRIYA
ORAL ORDER

4 20-06-2018 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned Addl.
Public Prosecution for the State.

The petitioner is in custody since 22.1.2016.

Earlier prayer for bail of the petitioner was rejected by
this Court vide order dated 14/12/2016 passed in Cr. Misc. no.
43300 of 2016.

It is submitted that he has moved for bail in the Court
below. The learned court below has rejected the prayer of bail
of the petitioner by order dated 28.02.2018 with direction to the
lower Court to expedite the trial and conclude the trial
preferably within six months.

A report was called for from the Court below which has
been received in which it is mentioned that he will make
efforts to conclude the trial within one or two months.



In such circumstances, there is already direction by ADJ-VIII, Rohtas at Sasaram by order dated 28.2.2018 passed in B.P. No. 154 of 2018 to the Court below to conclude the trial preferably within six months. Therefore, this court is not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail at this stage. Accordingly, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is again rejected.

However, the petitioner is given liberty to renew the prayer for bail in the Court below itself in the event the trial is not concluded within six months as directed by order dated 28.2.2018 passed in B.P. No. 154 of 2018. In the event the trial is not concluded within aforesaid period, the trial Court will give reason in the order for not concluding the trial within aforesaid period.

(Sanjay Priya, J)

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