

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.54638 of 2017

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -14 Year- 2016 Thana -MAHUA District- VAISHALI(HAJIPUR)

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MINTU DEVI @ RESHMI DEVI, W/o Ram Nath Paswan, Resident of
Village- Phulbariya, P.S.- Mahua, District- Vaishali. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar. Opposite Party

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Satya Prakash Sinha

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Sri Narsingh Tanti

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

5 07-02-2018 Heard learned Counsel for the petitioner and the State.

Petitioner, already in custody, seeks bail in Mahua PS Case
No. 14 of 2016 registered under Sections 302/34 and 201 of the IPC.

The allegation in brief is that after death of mother of the
deceased she was living with her maternal-uncle, only a few days
back she was brought by her father who had married with the
petitioner, who is her step mother, and thereafter she was killed and
dead body was buried. Later, on getting information, the dead body
was taken out and post mortem was held.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner
is step mother of the deceased and she is not involved in the
occurrence. She is in custody since 7.9.2017 and has clean
antecedent.

Learned Counsel for the State submits that the girl was
brought to the petitioner's house by her husband and she was
murdered and the dead body was buried by river side. Later, post
mortem was held and the cause of death was strangulation.

Having considered the aforesaid facts and circumstances, the
prayer for bail of the petitioner is refused.

The trial court is directed to expedite the trial and preferably
conclude the same within a period of two years.

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(Arun Kumar, J.)

