

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**Criminal Miscellaneous No.62393 of 2017**

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -101 Year- 2013 Thana -GOPALPUR District- BHAGALPUR

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Bhakta Mandal@Bhagta Mandal S/o Paro Mandal @ Prabhu Mandal, R/o  
Village- Sadhuwa, P.S. Rangra (Gopalpur), District- Bhagalpur.

.... .... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

.... .... Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ranjan Kumar Jha

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Sri Murlidhar

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN KUMAR**  
**ORAL ORDER**

3      02-02-2018                      Heard learned counsels for the petitioner and the  
  
State.

The petitioner, already in custody, seeks bail in  
connection with Gopalpur P.S.Case No. 101 of 2013 registered  
under Sections 302/34 of I.P.C. and Section 27 of Arms Act.

Allegation in brief is that accused persons after  
killing the son of the informant escaped away and the informant  
saw them escaping away.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that no  
one is the eye witness in this case and other co-accused persons  
were granted bail by a co-ordinate bench of this Court and the  
petitioner is in custody since 25.09.2017.

Learned counsel for the State submits that petitioner  
was absconder, it's a case of the year 2013 and impugned order



shows that in a split up case trial is at the fag end and the evidence as appeared came against the petitioner as having shot at the deceased.

Having considered the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is rejected. Trial court is directed to expedite the trial.

**(Arun Kumar, J)**

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