

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.10902 of 2019

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-394 Year-2017 Thana- RANIGANJ District- Araria

JATTU MURMU son of Late Madan Murmu, R/o village- Raniganj, Meghu Tola, P.S. Raniganj, District- Araria

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Sanjay Kumar Sharma

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Kumar Ranjit Ranjan

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 25-02-2019 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with Raniganj P.S. Case No. 394 of 2017 for the offences punishable under Sections 147, 148, 341, 342, 307, 384, 506, 504 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 3/4 of the Prevention of Witch Hunting Act.

The allegation is that sister-in-law of the informant was living with him so villagers protested and in the night they assaulted the wife of the informant, with various arms and hot iron rod, after removing her clothes.

It is submitted that general and omnibus allegation has been made against all the accused persons, hence the petitioner cannot be singled out, especially since the petitioner is 60 years old



and is not expected to commit such crime. It is further submitted that similarly situated other accused persons have already been granted bail vide order dated 13.04.2018 passed by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court in Cr. Misc. No. 6885 of 2018. It is further submitted that the petitioner is having a clean antecedent and is languishing in custody since 18.05.2018.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, the petitioner, above named, is directed to be enlarged on regular bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Araria in connection with Raniganj P.S. Case No. 394 of 2017.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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