

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-292 Year-2017 Thana- GOPALGANJ COMPLAINT CASE
District- Gopalganj

... .. Petitioner/s

1. The State of Bihar

- Opposite Party/s

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Lokesh Kumar Singh
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Satyendra Prasad

ORAL ORDER

The petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection with Complaint Case No. 292 (C) of 2017, registered under Section 498(A) of the Indian Penal Code and Section 3 / 4 of the Dowry Prohibition Act, pending in the court of the learned S.D.J.M, Gopalganj.

The accusation is of torturing of the complainant/O.P. No.2 by her husband and in-laws due to non-fulfillment of demand of dowry and removing her from matrimonial house along with her child.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of petitioner submits that on the joint prayer of the parties, the matter was



referred to Mediation and Conciliation Centre, Patna High Court, Patna, where the matter was settled in terms of the Memorandum of Agreement dated 05.08.2019, which is the part of the Mediator's report dated 14.08.2019, while as per agreement, O.P. No.2 was accompanied with the petitioner, but she left the matrimonial house.

On the other hand, learned counsel appearing on behalf of complainant/O.P. No.2 submits that while in terms of Memorandum of Agreement, complainant/O.P. No.2 was accompanied by the petitioner, but, later on, she was driven out from her matrimonial house. The complainant/O.P. No.2 along with her daughter is living at her Myaka.

Having considered the facts and circumstances of the case and the nature of allegation against the petitioner, I am not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, his prayer for grant of anticipatory bail stands rejected. If the bail bond has been furnished on behalf of the petitioner in the light of order dated 05.04.2019, whereunder the petitioner was allowed provisional bail, in case of his arrest, is, hereby, cancelled.

(Rajendra Kumar Mishra, J)

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