

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.23634 of 2019

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-483 Year-2018 Thana- TURKAULIYA District- East
Champaran

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RAJEEV RANJAN @ Dr. Rajeev Ranjan Son of Nagina Ram, Resident of
Village-Majurahan, P.S-Turkauliya (Raghunathpur O.P), District-East
Champaran at Motihari.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Ramakant Sharma, Sr. Advocate Mr. Dilip Kumar Roy
For the Opposite Party/s :		Mr.Shantanu Kumar

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

4 21-06-2019 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in a case instituted for the
offences under Sections 304B/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

Allegation against the accused persons is of
committing torture and thereafter caused death of the victim
due to non-fulfilment of demand of dowry.

It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner that
the petitioner is in custody since 31.7.2018 and has got no
criminal antecedent. There is no allegation of tampering of
witnesses alleged against the petitioner. Charge-sheet has been
submitted in the present case. The petitioner has falsely been



implicated in the present case. Neither there is any substantive evidence to suggest his implication in the present case nor there is any witness to the alleged occurrence. The petitioner had taken the deceased for treatment to the hospital.

On behalf of the State, it is submitted that the petitioner is named in the F.I.R/complaint case. The petitioner is the husband of the deceased. The onus is on him to explain the cause of death of the deceased.

Considering the nature of allegation, I am not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Prayer is rejected. The Trial Court is directed to expedite the trial within a period of nine months from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order.

(Sudhir Singh, J)

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