

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.29181 of 2019

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-218 Year-2018 Thana- LAKHISARAI District- Lakhisarai

KANHAIYA MANDAL Son of Dinesh Mandal Resident of Village - Santer
Mohalla, Ward No. 13, Purani Bazar, P.S. and Distt - Lakhisarai.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Bhim Sen Prasad

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Manish Kumar No2

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY PRIYA
ORAL ORDER

4 12-07-2019 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the
learned APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in Lakhisarai P. S. Case No.
218 of 2018 instituted for the offence under Section(s) 304B/34
of the Indian Penal Code.

Petitioner is husband of deceased.

It is alleged in the written report that daughter of
informant, namely, Priyanka Devi was married with this
petitioner in the year 2015. It is further alleged that after the
marriage, the accused persons as named in the written report
started demanding dowry and for non- fulfillment of demand of
dowry the petitioner and his family members subjected her to
cruelty. The daughter of informant used to complain him about
the ill-treatment but, he anyhow convinced her daughter. It is



further alleged that on 07.05.2018 at 3.30 PM the petitioner and other family members killed his daughter by setting her on fire.

Case diary has been received.

It is mentioned in the impugned order trial has already commenced and out of ten charge- sheet witnesses three witnesses have already been examined.

Looking into the serious nature of allegation levelled against this petitioner, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage. The prayer for bail of the petitioner stands rejected.

Trial Court is directed to expedite the trial and make efforts to conclude the same, as early as possible, preferably, within a period of nine months from the date of receipt of copy of this order and send compliance report.

Petitioner may renew his prayer for bail in the event trial is not concluded within the aforesaid period.

(Sanjay Priya, J)

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