

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Appeal (SJ) No.4392 of 2018

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-45 Year-2018 Thana- MAHILA P.S. District- Madhepura

Santosh Singh @ Santosh Kumar S/o Harinder Singh @ Harendra Narayan
Singh, resident of Village- Paraukia P.S.- Gwalpara, District- Madhepura.

... .. Appellant/s

Versus

The State Of Bihar

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Appellant/s	:	Mr.Bikramdeo Singh
		Mr.Pawan Kumar
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr.Binay Krishna

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

3 16-01-2019 Heard the parties.

The appellant is apprehending his arrest in connection with Madhepura Mahila P.S.Case no.45 of 2018 registered for offences punishable under Sections 376, 506, 34 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 3(i)(w) of SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act.

Allegation against the appellant is of committing rape upon the informant.

Submission of the learned counsel for the appellant is that there is inordinate delay in lodging the FIR and that has not been explained.

Heard learned Spl.P.P. also.

Having heard both sides and in view of the facts and



circumstances, as stated above, I am not inclined to grant privilege of anticipatory bail to the appellant, however, the appellant is directed to surrender before the learned special Judge within a period of six weeks from the date of order and make prayer for regular bail, which will be considered by the learned court below without being prejudiced by the order of this Court.

With the aforesaid direction, this appeal is dismissed.

(Vinod Kumar Sinha, J)

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