

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.74600 of 2019

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-280 Year-2018 Thana- BARBIGHA District- Sheikhpura

Mangal Jha @ Indra Bhushan Jha Son of Binay Jha @ Vinay Jha, Resident of
Village- Rampur Sindai, P.S.- Barbigha, District- Sheikhpura.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Vijay Kumar Mishra
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Prem Kumar Jha

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHWANI KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 11-12-2019 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Barbigha
P.S. Case No.280 of 2018, registered for the offence under
Sections 341, 323, 354, 504, 506/34 of the Indian Penal Code
and Section 37(c) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner
that a similarly circumstanced co-accused Ranjan Kumar and
Sonu Kumar Jha have already been granted bail vide orders
dated 28.02.2019 and 19.06.2019 passed in Cr.Misc.No.17337
of 2019 and Cr.Misc.No.39904 of 2019 respectively by different
Benches of this Court. He contended that the petitioner is in
custody since 18.10.2019 and has got no criminal antecedent.
Having got roots in the society he is not likely to abscond or



tamper with the evidence.

Learned counsel for the State has opposed the prayer for bail to the petitioner. However, he does not dispute the fact that two co-accused, having identical allegation as against the petitioner, have already been granted bail by different Benches of this Court.

Considering the facts and circumstances, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned A.D.J. II, Sheikhpura in connection with Barbigha P.S. Case No.280 of 2018, corresponding to Excise Case No.219 of 2018.

(Ashwani Kumar Singh, J.)

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