

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.7899 of 2020

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-82 Year-2019 Thana- MAGADH UNIVERSITY District- Gaya

RAJ KUMAR Son of Rajendra Prasad Resident of Village - Aadarsh Nagar,
Quarter No. H/241, Police Station - Dhurva, District - Ranchi, State -
Jharkhand.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR.

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Umesh Prasad

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Bhanu Pratap Singh

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S. KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 29-02-2020 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

Petitioner apprehends his arrest in a case registered
under Sections 414, 428, 429, 279 and 414(A)/4(B) of Bihar
Preservation and Improvement of Animal Act, 1955.

Informant has alleged in his written complaint that
on a vehicle 29 cattle were being transported for unlawful
purpose and on receipt of said information when police
intercepted the vehicle the driver and the cleaner fled away.

It has been submitted on behalf of petitioner that he is
the owner of the vehicle and the vehicle is used as a transport
vehicle and was taken for transportation of grain and he was not
aware that the cattle are being transported on his vehicle. No



persons have come forward to claim the ownership of said cattles. It has been further submitted that there is nothing to presume that the cattle are stolen cattle, as such, no offence under Section 414 is made out and other Sections are bailable. Petitioner has no criminal antecedent.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, prayer of anticipatory bail is allowed and petitioner named above in the event of arrest or surrender before the court below within four weeks from today, Petitioner is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees twenty thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned court below, in connection with Magadh University P.S. Case No. 82 of 2019, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

(S. Kumar, J)

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