

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.14714 of 2020

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-229 Year-2019 Thana- SHEOHAR District- Sheohar

PRINCE KUMAR @ KRISHNA KUMAR Son of Awdhesh Kumar Singh
Resident of Village - Madhopur Anant, P.S.- Sheohar, District- Sheohar

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s :	Mr.Dhananjai Kumar Singh
For the Opposite Party/s :	Mr.Aditya Narayan Singh.1
	Ms. Anita Kumari Singh, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 07-07-2020 The present petition has been taken up for consideration through the mode of Video conferencing in view of the prevailing situation on account of COVID 19 Pandemic, requiring social distancing.

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and Ms. Anita Kumari Singh, the learned APP for the State.

This is an application for grant of anticipatory bail in connection with Sheohar P.S. Case No. 229 of 2019 registered for the offence punishable under Sections 384, 504 and 506 of the Indian Penal Code.



The case of the prosecution in brief is that on 27.9.2019 at about 5:00 PM. in the evening, the informant is stated to have received a message on his mobile to immediately give a sum of Rs. 15,000,00/-, failing which dire consequences would follow. Again, in the night at about 8:00 PM., a call was received by the informant and the informant was threatened to pay a sum of Rs. 15,00,000/- within one week, failing which dire consequences would follow. It is alleged that again, on 28.9.2019 at about 11:00 PM. in the night, the informant had received a similar type of call.

The learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is innocent, he has been falsely implicated in the present case and he is having a clean antecedent. It is further submitted that there is no material on record of the case to suggest the complicity of the petitioner in the alleged crime, except the confessional statement of the co-accused person.

Per contra, the learned APP has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail.



Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and taking into account the fact that the petitioner is having a clean antecedent and there is no direct allegation as against the petitioner herein, I deem it fit and proper to admit the petitioner to the privilege of anticipatory bail.

Accordingly, the petitioner is directed to be enlarged on anticipatory bail, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the court below within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (rupees ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned C.J.M., Sheohar in connection with Sheohar P.S. Case No. 229 of 2019, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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