

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.15838 of 2020

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-36 Year-2020 Thana- DANAPUR District- Patna

MANORANJAN KUMAR PANDEY Son of Shatrughan Pandey @
Satrughan Pandey Resident of Jalalpur City, Jamuna - 05, Flat No. 303, P.S.-
Rupas, Distt - Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Satya Prakash

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Mritunjay Kumar Nirala

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 14-07-2020 Due to COVID-19 Pandemic, the matter is being taken
up by way of Virtual Court proceeding.

The matter has been listed under the heading 'For Orders'
under the orders of Hon'ble the Chief Justice.

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP for
the State.

The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in a case registered
under Section 414 of the Indian Penal Code.

Prosecution allegation, in short, is that on secret informant
when the informant reached the place of occurrence, in course of
search, huge quantity of iron rod was recovered.

It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner that the
petitioner has got no criminal antecedent. There is no allegation of
tampering of witnesses alleged against the petitioner. The petitioner



has been made accused due to mistake of fact. The petitioner deals in iron bars. The prosecution suspects that some iron bars are stolen property. There is no substantive evidence to show that the recovered iron bars from the shop of the petitioner are stolen iron bars nor the said iron bars have been claimed by any one.

On behalf of the State, it is submitted that the petitioner is named in the F.I.R.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also the lockdown, the petitioner above named, in the event of arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of eight weeks from today, be released on anticipatory bail on his personal bond to the satisfaction of learned A.C.J.M. -1, Danapur, Patna in connection with Danapur P.S. Case No. 36 of 2020, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

Once the normalcy is restored, the petitioner shall furnish bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each within a period of seven weeks to the satisfaction of the Court concerned in connection with the aforesaid case.

(Sudhir Singh, J)

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