

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.15709 of 2020

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-490 Year-2019 Thana- PARSABAZAR District- Patna

SOHAN RAI (Male), aged about 24 years, Son of Dukhit Rai, Resident of
Village - Kankatichak, P.S.- Parsa Bazar and District – Patna.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr.Manish Kumar No. 2, Advocate.
For the Opposite Party : Mr.Vinod Shanker Modi, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 13-07-2020 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
A.P.P. for the State.

The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in a case for
the offence registered under Sections 341, 323, 354(B) and
504/34 of the IPC.

The prosecution story, in brief, is that the petitioner
alongwith co-accused persons knocked the door of the
informant. On protest, Sohan Rai (petitioner) abused her and



touched her *Blouse* and dragged her after catching her hair with bad intention but on alarm, the accused persons fled away.

It has been submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner has got no criminal antecedent. There is no allegation of tampering with the witnesses alleged against the petitioner. The petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case. So far as offence under Section 354(B) of the I.P.C. is concerned, the same is ornamental in nature. All offences are triable by the Magistrate.

On behalf of the learned counsel for the State, it has been 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 six weeks from today, be released on anticipatory bail on his personal bond to the satisfaction of the learned Sub Judge-VIII-cum-A.C.J.M., Patna, in connection with Parsa Bazar P.S. Case No. 490 of 2019, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

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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