

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.15385 of 2020**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-147 Year-2018 Thana- SHAMBHUGANJ District- Banka

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SRIKANT SINHA @ SRIKANT PRASAD SINHA, aged about 62 years,
Male, Son of Visheshwar Mandal, Resident of Village - Jageshwarpur, Ward
No. 13, P.S.- Kahalgaon, Distt - Bhagalpur.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr.Dhananjay Kumar Pandey, Advocate.
For the Opposite Party : Mr.Parmeshwar Mehta, A.P.P.

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 04-03-2020 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in a case for the offence
registered under Sections 406, 409, 420 and 120(B) of the IPC.

The prosecution story, in brief, is that the petitioner
alongwith Mukhia Smt. Sujata Singh, together and after
hatching a conspiracy defalcated the amount of Rs.
23,32,534.50 (Rupees Twenty Three Lakh Thirty Two Thousand
Five Hundred Thirty Four and Fifty Paisa) due to which the
government work could not be performed.

It has been submitted by learned counsel for the
petitioner that the petitioner is languishing in custody since
04.12.2019. The petitioner has been made accused in the present



case due to mistake of fact. Charge sheet has been submitted in the present case. There is no allegation of tampering with the witnesses alleged against the petitioner. The allegation made in the F.I.R. is denied by the petitioner. It is further submitted that the petitioner is ready to deposit an amount of Rs. 2,50,000/- (Rupees Two Lacs Fifty Thousand) only in the learned court below which shall be subject to final disposal of the case.

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

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, the petitioner is directed to deposit an amount of Rs. 2,50,000/- (Rupees Two Lacs Fifty Thousand) only in the learned court below which shall be subject to final disposal of the case. On doing so, let the petitioner above named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned A.C.J.M. 1st, Banka, in connection with Shambhuganj P.S. Case No. 147 of 2018.

(Sudhir Singh, J)

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