

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No 20360 of 2020**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-332 Year-2019 Thana- DESARI District- Vaishali

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ANKIT KUMAR PATHAK Son of Vipin Kumar Pathak Resident of Village -
Rampur Baghel, P.S.- Desari (Sahdei O.P.), District - Vaishali

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr Pranav Kumar Jha, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr Shailendra Kumar I, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE MADHURESH PRASAD

ORAL ORDER

3 10-07-2020 As of now, the Courts have not resumed normal physical hearing. The matter has been listed today for consideration through Video Conferencing.

Learned counsels are appearing and making submissions from their residence. The Court Master and Secretary are also part of this virtual Court proceedings with the aid of audio visual technology.

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

Petitioner seeks bail in this case registered under Sections 394, 302, 396 of Indian Penal Code and Section 27 of Arms Act.

One Dharmendra Kumar Sah, who was running a



Customer Service Centre of State Bank of India, was shot dead by three miscreants while he was returning after withdrawing an amount of Rs 2,00,000/-.

Petitioner's counsel submits that the First Information Report has been lodged against unknown. Petitioner has been remanded from another case.

Learned APP for the State submits that petitioner's name transpired during course of investigation. It is further submitted that the petitioner bears criminal history and has also confessed his guilt.

Considering the rival submission and the gravity of the allegations, this Court, for the present, is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Prayer for bail is rejected.

(Madhuresh Prasad, J)

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