

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.23976 of 2020

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-87 Year-2019 Thana- NARKATIYAGANJ RAIL P.S. District-
West Champaran

ANAND KUMAR SRIVASTAVA @ RAJU KUMAR S/o Babanlal @ Hari
Narayan Prasad Resident of Village- Sirni Siswa, P.S.- Malahi Bazar, Distt-
East Champaran Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ravi Kumar,
Mitali, Advocates.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Bhanu Pratap Singh, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

2 18-09-2020 Heard Mr. Ravi Kumar, learned counsel for the
petitioner and Mr. Bhanu Pratap Singh, Additional Public
Prosecutor for the state through video conferencing.

2. Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Narkatiaganj Rail PS Case No. 87/2019 registered for the
offence punishable under Sections 379, 411 of the IPC.

3. The allegation against the petitioner as per First
Information Report is that the petitioner along with other
accused persons were caught on the spot while they were
picking pocket in the train.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner has got no criminal antecedents. Learned counsel
further submits that the money which was allegedly pick-
pocketed from the pocket of informant has been recovered from
the co-accused, Vinod Mahto. Learned counsel for the petitioner
further submits that one piece of blade and a scissor were
recovered from the pocket of the petitioner and petitioner is in



custody since 20.10.2019.

5. Having regard to the submissions made by the parties and taking into consideration the material on record and the fact that petitioner has got no criminal antecedent and is under custody since 20.10.2019, I am inclined to grant regular bail to the petitioner subject to the condition that petitioner will not commit similar offence in future in which, presently, he is an accused.

6. Accordingly, let the petitioner, ANAND KUMAR SRIVASTAVA @ RAJU KUMAR be released on bail, if he is not required in any other case, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Judicial Magistrate, Bettiah, West Champaran in connection with Narkatiaganj PS Case No. 87/2019.

7. It is made clear that at the time of furnishing bail bonds all the parties shall follow the guidelines regarding lockdown and social distancing.

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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