

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.42726 of 2019

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-57 Year-2018 Thana- KOTHIGRAM District- Gaya

SANTOSH PASWAN Son of Lakhan Paswan Resident of Village-Barakala,
P.S.-Kothi, District-Gaya.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Arvind Kumar Singh
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Shailendra Kumar

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

5 05-02-2020 Petitioner seeks bail in connection with Kothi P.S.

Case No. 57 of 2018, registered for the offence punishable
under Sections 304B/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

Petitioner happens to be husband of the deceased and
there is allegation of causing her death by pressing her neck.

Submission of learned counsel for the petitioner is
that she committed suicide and petitioner is in custody since
11.12.2018 and though charge has been framed but there is no
substantial progress in the trial as yet.

Heard learned APP and perused the report of learned
trial court, from which it appears that charge has been framed in
this case and step for production of witnesses has been taken.
Learned APP has opposed the prayer for bail stating that cause
of death due to strangulation which will appear from post



mortem report.

In view of above facts and circumstances, I am not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner,

However, since charge has been framed in this case, learned trial court is directed to expedite the trial.

Accordingly, this application is dismissed.

(Vinod Kumar Sinha, J)

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