

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.82259 of 2019

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-121 Year-2015 Thana- SANGRAMPUR District- East
Champaran

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PAPPU MAHTO S/o Krishna Mahto R/o village- Nautan, P.S.- Sangrampur,
District- East Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Umesh Chandra Verma
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Tapeshwar Sharma

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SRIVASTAVA
ORAL ORDER

4 04-06-2020 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Sangrampur P.S. Case No. 121 of 2015 registered for the
offence under Sections 304B, 201/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner, who is of clean antecedent, is innocent and has not
committed any offence. In fact, the petitioner happens to be
husband of the deceased and neither he assaulted the deceased
and nor he demanded any dowry. He has falsely been implicated
in this case. The petitioner is languishing in judicial custody
since 14.05.2019.

Learned A.P.P. for the State has opposed the prayer for



bail and submitted that there is direct allegation against the petitioner that he demanded motorcycle as a dowry and threatened to kill his wife if the demand will not be fulfilled. Accordingly, the petitioner has assaulted his wife on non-fulfillment of dowry demand resultantly she died.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. Accordingly, the prayer for grant of regular bail is rejected.

However, the trial court is directed to expedite the trial.

(Arvind Srivastava, J)

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