IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B.A. No.9903 of 2020

Vikash Ram @ Vikash Kumar Ram
… Petitioner

Versus

The State of Jharkhand … Opposite Party

Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR CHOUDHARY

For the Petitioner : Mr. Rohit Ranjan Sinha, Adv.
For the State : Mrs. Niki Sinha, Addl. P.P.

02/16.12.2020 Heard the parties through video conferencing.

Learned counsel for the petitioner undertakes to remove the defects pointed out by the stamp reporter within two weeks after the lockdown is over.

In view of personal undertaking given by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the defects pointed out by the stamp reporter are ignored for the present.

The petitioner has been made accused in connection with Nagar Untari P.S. Case No. 01 of 2020 registered under sections 366A of the Indian Penal Code.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the allegation against the petitioner is that the petitioner has enticed away the victim girl to marry her. It is submitted that the allegation against the petitioner is false. Drawing attention of this Court towards Annexure 2 at page nos.23-24 of the brief, which is the copy of the certified copy of the statement recorded under Section 164 Cr.P.C. wherein learned Magistrate who recorded her statement has assessed her age to be between 19-20 years, it is submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the victim has categorically stated that she has married the petitioner and was impregnated by the petitioner also. It is next submitted that the petitioner undertakes to co-operate with the trial of the case. It is further submitted that the petitioner has been in custody since 02.06.2020 as mentioned in paragraph 04 of the bail application. Hence it is submitted that the petitioner be released on bail.

Learned Addl. P.P. opposes the prayer for bail.

Considering the facts of this case, the above named petitioner is directed to be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand) with two sureties of the

like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Sessions Judge 1st, Garhwa in connection with Nagar Untari P.S. Case No. 01 of 2020 with the condition that he will co-operate with the trial of the case.

Pappu/ **(Anil Kumar Choudhary, J.)**