

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.31683 of 2021**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-82 Year-2020 Thana- VISHNUPAD District- Gaya

Narendralal Pathak Son Of Late Amarnath Pathak @ Suggolal Pathak
Resident Of Mohalla- Morchagali, P.S.- Vishnupad, District- Gaya.

... .. Petitioner/S

Versus

The State Of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Tabish Sharfuddin, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.A.G.

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER**

2 26-08-2021 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the State.

The petitioner seeks regular bail in Vishnupad Police
Station Case No. 82 of 2020, Gaya registered for the offences
punishable under sections 304B/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

As per the prosecution case, informant performed the
marriage of his daughter Priyanshi Kumari alias Deepa Devi
alias Deepika Devi with the petitioner on 16.02.2016 but,
thereafter, she was being tortured by the petitioner and his
family members giving threatening to kill her. On 02.05.2020,
the informant received information about the murder of his
daughter. Thereafter, the informant along with others went at the
saural house of his daughter, where the informant found his
daughter dead.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in fact



the victim committed suicide by hanging herself and there was no demand of dowry. Petitioner and the victim had a three years old child and they were leading happy life. Petitioner has been implicated in this case only on suspicion and the informant side also participated in the funeral on the information given by the petitioner side. Petitioner is in custody since 25.6.2020.

Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for bail and submits that there is specific allegation that the petitioner used to demand dowry and committed torture on her and in league with his family members killed his wife in a planned conspiracy.

In view of the specific allegation against the petitioner as well as the fact that the informant's daughter died within seven years of marriage under unnatural circumstance and the petitioner is the husband of the deceased, his prayer for bail is refused.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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