

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.32645 of 2020

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-279 Year-2020 Thana- KHAGARIA District- Khagaria

RAMDEV YADAV, Son of Narayan Yadav Resident of Village - Bhansi
Kumharso, Ward No. 2, P.S. - Gadhpura, District - Begusarai.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Praveen Kumar Agrawal

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

3 01-03-2021 Heard Mr. Praveen Kumar Agrawal, learned

counsel for the petitioner and Mr. Md. Aslam Ansari,

learned APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in anticipation of his
arrest in connection with Khagaria (Gangour) P. S. Case
No. 279 of 2020, dated 11.04.2020, instituted for the
offences under Sections 467, 468, 419, 420, 379, 411
and 34 of the Indian Penal Code.

A transport vehicle was intercepted on suspicion
and it was found that the registration number of the
vehicle did not match with the papers of the vehicle. It
was thus suspected that the vehicle was a stolen



property or the number plate of the same was changed and was being plied on the roads of the State of Bihar. Two of the persons, claiming to be the driver and the cleaner of the said vehicle, were arrested who disclosed that the petitioner is the owner of the said vehicle.

By way of supplementary affidavit, the learned counsel for the petitioner has brought on record the fact that the vehicle was purchased by one Md. Faiz Ahmad and later the same was transferred in the name of the petitioner. The aforesaid facts get reflected from the documents issued by the District Transport Office, Gaya. The petitioner thereafter had applied for a goods carriage permit which was granted to him by the Regional Transport Authority, Patna and the same is valid till 07.06.2023.

In fact, the learned counsel for the petitioner has further intimated this Court that when an application for release of the said vehicle was filed before the court below, a report had been called for from the District



Transport Office, Gaya about the ownership of the vehicle and according to the information given to the petitioner, the report sent by the District Transport Officer, Gaya is in favour of the petitioner.

The learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the aforesaid vehicle is not a stolen property and for some reason or the other, a hurried F.I.R. was lodged with the only allegation that there appeared to be some mismatch in the registration number disclosed in the papers of the vehicle and the registration number printed on the number plate.

Considering the nature of accusation against the petitioner and the facts which have been noted above, the petitioner, above-named, is directed to be released on bail, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the court below within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt / production of a copy of this order, on his furnishing bail bonds in the sum of Rs. 10,000 /- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like



amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Chief
Judicial Magistrate, Khagaria, in connection with
Khagaria (Gangaur) P. S. Case No. 279 of 2020,
subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438
(2) Cr.P.C.

The application stands allowed.

(Ashutosh Kumar, J)

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