

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.35617 of 2020

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-209 Year-2018 Thana- HAJIPUR District- Vaishali

SANDEEP SINGH, aged about 27 years (Male), Son of Bal Binder Singh,
Resident of Village-Rampur, P.S.- Rampur, Dist.- Rampur (U.P.)

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr. Mukesh Kumar Singh, Advocate.
For the Opposite Party : Mrs. Renuka Ratnakar, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

3 03-03-2021 Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to

remove the defects, as pointed out by the office, within a period

of four weeks.

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in a case registered for the
offence under Sections 8/ 20 (C)(iii) (C) of N.D.P.S. Act.

The prosecution story, in brief, is that total 363 kgs.,
of *Ganja* is alleged to have been recovered from the Truck
bearing Registration No. HR-55R-9465. The petitioner is said to
be the *Khalasi* of the Truck in question.

This is second attempt on behalf of the petitioner for
grant of bail.

Earlier bail application of the petitioner was rejected



vide Cr. Misc. No. 6295 of 2019 under order dated 16.04.2019 by a Bench of this Court taking into account that total 363 kgs., of Ganja was said to have been recovered from the Truck in question. The petitioner was *Khalasi* of the Truck in question. The same was above the commercial quantity and the petitioner was not entitled for grant of bail in light of Section 37 of the N.D.P.S. Act.

A report was called for from the court below regarding the present stage of the case. It has been reported that all the nine witnesses have been examined and the trial is likely to be concluded within a period of two months.

Considering the nature of accusation and the stage of the case, I am not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. The same is rejected in connection with Hajipur Town P.S. Case No. 209/18, pending in the court of learned Additional District and Sessions Judge-Ist-cum-Special Judge, Vaishali at Hajipur.

Learned court below is directed to take all necessary steps to conclude the trial at the earliest.

(Sudhir Singh, J)

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