

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No 37246 of 2020**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-17 Year-2012 Thana- CHAND District- Kaimur (Bhabua)

RAJU SHAH @ RAJU PRASAD SON OF RAJENDRA SAHA RESIDENT
OF VILLAGE_ CHAND, P.S.- CHAND, DISTRICT- KAIMUR.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr Ravindra Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr Akbar Ali, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE MADHURESH PRASAD

ORAL ORDER

3 23-02-2021 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (for brevity, *NDPS*) Act Case No 6 of 2015 arising out of Chand Police Station (for brevity *PS*) Case No 17 of 2012 dated 11.04.2012 instituted for the offence punishable under Sections 20 (b), 21, 25 of NDPS Act, 1985.

The prosecution case alleges 19.500 Kgs Ganja to be recovered from the petitioner's house.

Learned counsel submits that the recovery is in violation of the mandatory procedure and that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in this case. He is in custody since 10.12.2019.



Learned APP for the State has opposed the prayer for bail referring to Section 37 of NDPS Act.

Having regard to the submissions advanced by the parties, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Prayer for bail is rejected with expectation that trial Court should proceed with the trial expeditiously and without any undue delay.

(Madhuresh Prasad, J)

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