

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.1242 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-72 Year-2019 Thana- SANOKHAR District- Bhagalpur

GOURAV KUMAR MANDAL, S/O ANIRUDH MANDAL R/o village-
Dobhi, P.S.- Sonokhar (Amdanda), District- Bhagalpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Rajive Ranjan Singh, Advocate.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Mukesh Kumar Singh, APP.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE BIRENDRA KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

3 09-04-2021

Heard the parties in virtual Court.

The petitioner is languishing in custody for the offence punishable under Sections 304B and 201/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

Petitioner is husband of the victim of dowry death. Wife of the petitioner died in unnatural circumstances in the house of the petitioner within three years of her marriage. Allegation is of demand of dowry and torture for the same. Other witnesses have also supported the allegation of demand of dowry and torture for the same.

Considering the facts aforesaid, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail for the present in connection with Sanokhar (Amdanda) P.S. Case No. 72 of 2019.

Hence, prayer is refused.



Since the petitioner is in jail since 13.12.2019, learned trial Judge is directed to expedite the trial and conclude the same preferably within nine months, failing which the petitioner would be at liberty to renew prayer for bail before the learned trial Judge itself who shall pass a reasoned order.

(Birendra Kumar, J)

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