

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.11634 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-176 Year-2019 Thana- PURAINI District- Madhepura

PANKAJ SAHANI s/o Yogendra Sahni R/o village- Purani Ward No. 9, P.S.-
Purani, District- Madhepura

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Ms. Kumari Sudha Sinha, Advocate Mr. Praveen Kumar Agrawal, Advocate
For the State	:	Mr. Binod Kumar No. 3, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

4 29-09-2021 Heard Ms. Kumari Sudha Sinha, learned counsel for
the petitioner and Mr. Binod Kumar No. 3, learned Additional
Public Prosecutor appearing for the State.

Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Puraini P.S. Case No. 176 of 2019 registered for the offences
punishable under Sections 376, 511, 341, 323, 504, 506 of the
Indian Penal Code-1860, Sections 8/12 of POCSO Act and
Section 37(b)(c) of Bihar Excise Act.

This is second attempt for grant of regular bail on
behalf of the petitioner inasmuch as earlier the bail application
of the petitioner was rejected on merit by this Court vide order
dated 14.9.2020 passed in Cr. Misc. 19387 of 2020.

This Court by an order dated 11.8.2021 had called



for a report from the trial court regarding stage of trial and in pursuance thereof, the report of learned Additional Sessions Judge-VI-cum-Special Judge, (POCSO), Madhepura, is on record and from perusal of the same, it appears that the learned Trial Court has given the estimated time for completion of the trial within 3-4 months.

In view of the nature of allegation, I am not inclined to grant regular bail to the petitioner at this stage.

The prayer for regular bail of the petitioner stands rejected.

However, the petitioner may renew his prayer for bail after four months if the trial does not conclude.

The explanation furnished by the Additional Sessions Judge-VI-cum Special Judge (POCSO), Madhepura, vide letter No. 65 dated 21.9.2021 is accepted.

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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