

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.9294 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-17 Year-2020 Thana- MAHILA THANA District- Begusarai

ASHOK KUMAR PASWAN @ ASHOK PASWAN, Son of Krishna Paswan,
Resident of Village - Barmotra, Ward No 18, P.S. - Gardhpura, District -
Begusarai.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar.

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Manoj Kumar Singh, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Ram Priya Sharan Singh, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN
ORAL ORDER

4 21-10-2021 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

Petitioner seeks bail in Mahila P.S. Case No.17 of
2020, registered for the offences punishable under Section 376
of the Indian Penal Code and under Section 4 of the POCSO
Act.

Allegation against the petitioner is that he committed
rape with the victim girl.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case. There
is land dispute between the parties. Petitioner is the next door
neighbour of the informant. It is further submitted that the
witnesses have not supported the prosecution case. The



petitioner is in custody since 10.09.2020.

Learned APP for the State opposed the prayer for bail of the petitioner and submits that the doctor has found the age of the victim girl between 15 to 16 years. The statement of the victim girl has been recorded under Section 164 Cr.P.C. in which she has supported the prosecution case.

Having considered the facts aforesaid, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. Accordingly, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is rejected.

(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)

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