

NAFR**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR****MCRC No. 8213 of 2020**

- Santosh Mahant Alias Pachkul S/o Paltan Das Mahant Aged About 32 Years R/o Chamda Godam, Adarsh Nagar, Jutemill, District Raigarh, Chhattisgarh.

----Applicant**Versus**

- State Of Chhattisgarh, Through: The Station House Officer, Police Station City Kotwali, Raigarh, District: Raigarh, Chhattisgarh.

---- Respondent

For Applicant - Shri Ashish Gupta, Advocate.

For Respondent - Ms. Akshara Amit, Panel Lawyer.

Hon'bel Shri Justice Prashant Kumar Mishra
Order On Board

24/02/2021

1. Heard.
2. The applicant has preferred this bail application under Section 439 of the Cr.P.C., as he has been arrested in connection with Crime No.517/2020, registered at Police Station: City Kotwali, Raigarh, District: Raigarh (C.G.) for the offence punishable under Section 420, 34 of the Indian Penal Code.
3. Applicant has obtained payment of Rs.31,000/- from several victims assuring them of providing job as a Cook in a Government Department.

4. Learned State counsel would oppose the prayer for grant of bail.
5. The applicant is in jail since 27-07-2020 and the charge sheet has already been filed. The offences are triable by Judicial Magistrate First Class, therefore, considering the length of pre-trial detention, I am inclined to release the applicant on bail.
6. Accordingly, the bail application is allowed and the applicant is directed to be released on bail on his executing a personal bond for a sum of Rs.50,000/- with one surety for the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court. He is directed to appear before the trial Court on each and every date given by the said Court.

SD/-
(Prashant Kumar Mishra)
Judge

Amardeep