

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.16315 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-199 Year-2020 Thana- KRITYANAND NAGAR District-
Purnia

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Akash Singh @ Akash Kumar, aged about 21 years, male, S/o Akhilesh Singh
@ Mahaldar, R/o Village - Alampur, P.S. - K. Nagar (Maranga), District -
Purnia.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Vikram Deo Singh, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR

ORAL ORDER

3 08-02-2022 Heard Mr. Vikram Deo Singh, the learned Advocate

for the petitioner and the learned APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in anticipation of his
arrest in connection with K. Nagar (Maranga) P.S. Case No.
199 of 2020, dated 01.07.2020, instituted for the offences
under Sections 363 and 364(A) of the Indian Penal Code.

Even though the victim in her statement under



Section 164 Cr.P.C. has stated that she went with the petitioner and married him of her own volition but considering the fact that she is only 17 years of age, which is not a marriageable age of a girl, I am not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

The prayer for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner is, accordingly, rejected.

However, if he surrenders before the Court below and seeks bail, the Court below shall pass orders in accordance with law after taking into account the afore-noted grounds, without being prejudiced by the fact that the present anticipatory bail application has not been entertained by this Court.

The application stands dismissed.

(Ashutosh Kumar, J)

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