

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.16475 of 2021**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-72 Year-2020 Thana- MAHILA P.S. District- Bhojpur

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PRAVEEN KUMAR Son of Jogindra Sah Resident of Village - Nimej, P.S.-
Bramhpur, District - Buxar.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar Bihar
2. Usha Devi @ Usha Kumari Devi Wife of Praveen Kumar Daughter of
Bharat Prasad, Resident of Village - Gidha, P.S.- Koilwar, District - Bhojpur.

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ashok Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Rajendra Nath Sinha, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 06-01-2022 Heard Mr. Ajit Ranjan Kumar, learned counsel
for the petitioner and the learned APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in anticipation of his arrest in connection with Mahila P.S. Case No. 72 of 2020 dated 12.09.2020 instituted for the offences under Sections 323, 498(A), 504, 506 and 34 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 3/4 of the Dowry Prohibition Act.

The petitioner is ready to settle the matrimonial dispute and keep the informant/opposite party no. 2 with due dignity and honour, provided she is agreeable for the same.

Considering this aspect of the matter, this Court directs that in the event of the surrender of the



petitioner within a period of eight weeks from today, he shall be granted provisional bail and simultaneously notice shall be issued to the informant. On the appearance of the informant, the court will explore the possibilities of settlement and if the issues between the spouses are settled, the provisional bail of the petitioner shall be confirmed. The provisional bail of the petitioner shall also be confirmed in the event of the informant showing an unreasonable attitude during the deliberations. If the conduct of the petitioner is not good, that should also be taken into account before confirming the provisional bail of the petitioner.

The petition stands disposed of.

(Ashutosh Kumar, J)

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