

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.13391 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-160 Year-2020 Thana- SONBERSA District- Sitamarhi

RAJ KUMAR MAHTO S/o Kishori Mahto R/o village- Madhesara, P.S.-
Sonbarsa, District- Sitamarhi

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Birendra Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Ms. Sharda Kumari, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

2 22-03-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

Let the defect(s), if any, be removed within a period
of four weeks after complete start of the physical Court.

The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Sonbarsa P.S. Case No. 160 of 2020 instituted for the offences
under Sections 272, 273 of the Indian Penal Code read with
Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise (Amendment)
Act, 2018.

This is the second attempt of the petitioner as his bail
application was earlier rejected by order dated 12.07.2021
passed in Cr. Misc. No. 15930 of 2021 with an observation that
if the trial is not concluded within six months the petitioner
would be at liberty to renew his prayer for bail before the
learned court below itself.



Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of the order dated 12.07.2021, the petitioner moved before the learned court below but his bail application came to be rejected. Learned counsel further submits that charges have been framed but the trial has not commenced.

Learned A.P.P. for the State vehemently opposes the prayer for regular bail of the petitioner.

Considering the fact that the petitioner is in custody, charge-sheet has been submitted and the charges have been framed, let the petitioner above named be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.2,000/- (Rupees Two Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Additional District and Sessions Judge-II-cum-Special Excise Court No. 1, Sitamarhi in connection with Sonbarsa P.S. Case No. 160 of 2020.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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