

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.16438 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-36 Year-2019 Thana- RAGHUNATHPUR District- Siwan

JITENDRA RAM S/o Late Ramnath Ram R/o village- Adampur, P.S.-
Raghunathpur, Distt.- Siwan

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Kumari Anupam

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Shahabuddin Azeem @ S. Azeem

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SRIVASTAVA
ORAL ORDER

3 11-05-2022 Heard learned counsels for the petitioner and the
State.

Petitioner seeks bail in connection with
Raghunathpur P.S. Case No. 36 of 2019 registered under
section 307 and other allied sections of the Indian Penal
Code to which section 302 was added later on.

Petitioner has earlier moved this Court for grant
of bail in Cr. Misc. No. 15127 of 2020 which was rejected
vide order dated 03.03.2020 (Annexure-1).

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner
submits that petitioner has been rotting in judicial custody
since 24.10.2019 and the trial of the case is not likely to be
concluded in near future.

Learned Addl. P.P. appearing for the State opposes the prayer for bail and submits that there is no fresh ground warranting reconsideration of the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and the submissions advanced on behalf of the parties, I do not feel inclined to grant bail to the petitioner as there is no fresh ground for reconsideration of the prayer for bail. The prayer for bail is, accordingly, rejected.

However, the trial court is directed to expedite the trial of the case and conclude it expeditiously preferably within a period of six months.

(Arvind Srivastava, J)

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