

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.25412 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-356 Year-2020 Thana- KATIHAR NAGAR District- Katihar

Rakesh Mahto @ Rakesh Chouhan @ Rakesh Kumar Mahto @ Chouhan,
aged about 36 years Gender-Male, S/o Late Chhattu Mahto @ Chhatthu
Chouhan @ Late Chhotu Chouhan R/o village- Lal Kothi, P.S.- Katihar (N),
District- Katihar

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Bimal Kumar, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Ms.Rina Sinha, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MADHURESH PRASAD
ORAL ORDER

3 06-07-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

This Court would expect that the petitioner's counsel
would honour his undertaking in the instant proceedings
regarding supply of the requisite court fee etc. within two weeks
from the date he is called upon to do so by the office.

Petitioner seeks bail in connection with Katihar (Town)
PS Case No. 356 of 2020 registered under Sections 304B/34 of
the Indian Penal Code.

Two witness of the inquest and the author of the inquest
remained to be examined, for which, the Court below has issued
summons as per report dated 21-05-2022. It is also obvious
from the report that eight prosecution witnesses have already



been examined.

Since the trial is on the verge of completion, this Court, for the present, is not inclined to re-consider the petitioner's prayer for bail as upon due consideration the prayer was rejected on 14-09-2021 in Cr. Misc. No. 16379 of 2021. This Court would further observe that the learned Trial Court should make all endeavours to ensure that the trial is concluded without any unnecessary delay or undue adjournments.

The petition is rejected.

(Madhuresh Prasad, J)

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