

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.33752 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-286 Year-2018 Thana- BIDUPUR District- Vaishali

SONELAL SAH @ SONAL KUMAR @ SONE LAL KUMAR S/O Late
Nandlal Sah R/O Village - Ismailpur, P.S. - Hajipur Sadar, District - Vaishali
at Hajipur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Niranjan Parihar, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Umeshanand Pandit, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

5 11-04-2022 Heard Mr. Niranjan Parihar, learned counsel for the

petitioner and Mr. Umeshanand Pandit, learned Additional

Public Prosecutor for the State.

Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with

Bidupur PS Case No. 286/2018 registered for the offence

punishable under Sections 394, 302, 396 of the IPC.

As per First Information Report, the informant was

intercepted by unknown criminals who tried to snatch the bag

from the informant and upon protest, the accused persons fired

upon the informant, due to which, he sustained injuries and

during course of treatment, he died.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the

petitioner is not named in the FIR and during course of



investigation one Deepak Kumar Singh has been arrested and on the basis of his confessional statement, petitioner's name has transpired. He further submits that similarly situated co-accused person, namely, Varun Kumar @ Varun Paswan has been granted bail by this Court *vide* Cr. Misc. No. 36192/2021.

The petitioner is in custody since 12.11.2020.

Regards being had to the submissions made by the parties and taking into consideration the criminal antecedent of the petitioner inasmuch as 15 criminal cases of similar nature are pending against him, I am not inclined to grant parity to the petitioner and release him on bail. Accordingly, the same is, hereby, rejected.

Let the trial be expedited.

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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