

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.33423 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-45 Year-2019 Thana- SIWAIPATTI District- Muzaffarpur

NITESH KUMAR @ MITA Son of Hari Paswan Resident of Village -
Chhittarpatti, P.S.- Minapur, Distt.- Muzaffarpur.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Mahesh Prasad

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

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHAKRADHARI SHARAN SINGH

ORAL ORDER

3 10-08-2022

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

This application for grant of regular bail arises out of Siwaipatti P.S. Case No.45/2019, registered for the offence punishable under Section 394 of the Indian Penal Code.

The petitioner's prayer for regular bail was earlier rejected by an order dated 19.06.2020 passed in Cr. Misc. Nos. 1940 of 2020 and 9866 of 2020 and subsequently by an order dated 22.09.2021 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 41776 of 2021 considering the nature of accusation and his criminal antecedents.

In compliance of this Court's order, a report has been received from the court of learned Judicial Magistrate-1st Class, Muzaffarpur (East), from which it transpires that charge has been framed on 14.02.2020 against the petitioner and the case is



running for evidence.

Considering the petitioner's long history of criminal cases pending against him, I am not inclined to grant him privilege of bail for the present.

The court below is, however, directed to take all possible steps to expedite trial and conclude the same, if possible within a period of six months from the date of communication of the present order.

If there is no progress at all at the trial, the petitioner shall be at liberty to renew his prayer for bail thereafter.

(Chakradhari Sharan Singh, J)

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