

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.37220 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-287 Year-2021 Thana- KUCHAIKOTE District- Gopalganj

OM PRAKASH SONI SON OF LATE KRISHNA SONI RESIDENT OF
VILLAGE- HARPUR, P.S.- KUCHAIKOTE, DISTRICT- GOPALGANJ

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Ranjeet Kumar Pandey
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Ram Sumiran Rai

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA PRAKASH
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ORAL ORDER

2 27-09-2022 Learned counsel for the petitioner is permitted to remove defect (s), as pointed out by the office, if any, within a period of four weeks on resumption of physical mode.

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P for the State.

The petitioner has preferred this application for grant
of regular bail in a case registered u/s 306 read with 34 of the
Indian Penal Code.

As per the prosecution case, the informant's sister was
married to co-accused Uttam Soni as per Hindu rites and
custom. After three to four days of marriage the petitioner and
co-accused persons started torturing and assaulting the
informant's sister due to non-fulfillment of dowry. Later on, the
petitioner and the co-accused persons strangled the



informant's sister to death.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. There is general and omnibus allegation against the petitioner. It is further submitted that after 22 days of marriage the informant's sister committed suicide as there was love affair of the deceased with another boy. The petitioner is the brother-in-law of the deceased. The petitioner has clean antecedent as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 14.07.2021.

Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the bail petition of the petitioner.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case as well as the period of detention and the fact that there is general and omnibus allegation against the petitioner, the petitioner above-named, is directed to be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail-bond of Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Court concerned, Gopalganj in connection with Kuchaikote P.S. Case No. 287 of 2021.

The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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