

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.50932 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-214 Year-2020 Thana- PAKARIBARAW District- Nawada

TARA DEVI @ TARAVATI DEVI @ MARKARI DEVI W/o Late Yugal
Choudhan R/o Village- Yogi Bigha, P.S.- Dhamoul, District- Nawada.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sheo Kumar Prasad

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Rita Verma

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 05-04-2022 Heard learned counsel appearing on behalf of the
petitioner and learned APP for the State.

Let the defect(s) be removed within two weeks of the
complete start of the physical Court in normal course.

Petitioner, who is in custody since 13.03.2021, seeks
regular bail in connection with Pakribrawan P.S. Case No. 214
of 2020 registered for offences punishable under Sections 302,
201 and 498(A)/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

Prosecution story in brief is that the daughter of the
informant namely, Guriya Devi was subjected to various sorts of
torture for non fulfillment of demand of dowry and ultimately
killed by pressing her neck by the accused persons including the
petitioner, who is the husband of the deceased.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner



submits that petitioner is mother-in-law of the deceased. Petitioner, who is widow has nothing to do with the affair of her son, who is also in custody or with her daughter-in-law (deceased) as such there was no occasion to torture or demand of any dowry. Petitioner is in custody since 13.03.2021 without any fault on her part.

Learned A.P.P., for the State has opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

Taking into consideration the nature of allegation made against the present petitioner and period of custody undergone, the petitioner above named, is directed to be enlarged on bail upon furnishing bail bond of Rs. 25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Judicial Magistrate Ist, Nawada in connection with Pakribrawan P.S. Case No. 214 of 2020 subject to the following conditions:

(i) Bailors should be local having sufficient immovable property within the jurisdiction of the Court concerned.

(ii) Petitioner shall co-operate in the trial and shall be properly represented on each and every date fixed by the Court.

(iii) If the petitioner tampers with the evidence or the



witnesses of the case, in that case, prosecution will be at liberty to move for cancellation of bail of the petitioner.

(iv) If the petitioner is found involved in similar nature of offence, after his release on bail, the trial Court shall take steps to cancel his bail bond.

(Purnendu Singh, J)

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