

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.71954 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-124 Year-2021 Thana- GORAUL District- Vaishali

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RANJAN KUMAR SON OF SHRI SATYA NARAYAN SAH WARD
SECRETARY, GRAM PANCHAYAT RAJ, GOROUL BHAGWANPUR
RESIDENT OF VILLAGE - GORAUL BHAGWANPUR, PS -
BHAGWANPUR, DIST VAISHALI

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Kaushal Kishor, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Parmeshwar Mehta, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PARTHA SARTHY
ORAL ORDER

2 07-06-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner has preferred this application for grant
of regular bail in a case registered under sections 406, 409, 420
and 34 of the Indian Penal Code.

As per the prosecution case, the allegation against the
Chairman Reena Devi and the Ward Secretary Ranjan Kumar,
the petitioner herein is of defalcation of a total sum of Rs.
8,97,500/-

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner
that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in the case. The
Chairman Reena Devi has been enlarged on bail vide order
dated 9.12.2021 passed in Cr. Misc. no. 50007 of 2021.



Referring to the said order dated 9.12.2021 it is submitted that the work under the scheme has already been completed. The petitioner is in custody since 16.9.2021 and case of the petitioner who is in custody stands on a better footing to that of co-accused Reena Devi who has been enlarged on anticipatory bail. The petitioner has no criminal antecedent and investigation in the case is complete.

Heard learned APP for the State.

Having heard learned counsel for the parties and taking into consideration the nature of allegation, grant of anticipatory bail to co-accused Reena Devi, the petitioner having remained in custody for over 8 months and charge sheet having been submitted in the case, the Court directs the petitioner to be enlarged on bail in connection with Goroul P.S. Case no. 124 of 2021 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned A.C.J.M-I Vaishali at Hajipur.

(Partha Sarthy, J)

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