

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.72301 of 2021**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-97 Year-2021 Thana- UDWANTNAGAR District- Bhojpur

SHOUKAT ALI Son of Md Nasim Resident of Village Rajkhand, P.S.
Tajpur, District - Samastipur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ram Prawesh Kumar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Ram Naresh Ray, A.P.P.

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER**

3 16-05-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

Let the defect(s), if any, be removed within a period
of four weeks after complete start of the physical Court.

The petitioner seeks bail in a case registered for the
offence punishable under Section 379 of the Indian Penal Code.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is in custody since 22.09.2021, charge-sheet has been
submitted and has antecedent of one case.

The informant alleges that his vehicle is registered in
the name of his father and the same was stolen away by
unknown person which was parked near Tridandi Swami
Mandir on 05.02.2021 at about 06:00 p.m.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the



date of occurrence is 05.02.2021 and the FIR has been instituted on 02.03.2021. It is, thus, submitted that there is an inordinate delay in instituting the FIR.

Learned A.P.P. for the State vehemently opposes the prayer for regular bail of the petitioner.

Considering the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 22.09.2021, charge-sheet has been submitted and there is an inordinate delay in instituting the FIR, the petitioner, above named, is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Court below where the case is pending in connection with Udwant Nagar P.S. Case No. 97 of 2021.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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