

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.376 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-192 Year-2020 Thana- GHOGHARDIHA District- Madhubani

Laupha Wali @ Nirmala Devi Wife of Late Bilat Mallik Resident of Village
and P.S.- Ghoghardiha, District- Madhubani.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar.

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Baleshwar Kamat, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Ramchandra Singh, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

2 16-05-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with
Ghoghardiha P.S. Case No. 192 of 2020 registered under
Sections 304(B), 302, 201 and 34 of the Indian Penal Code.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is in custody since 13.02.2021, is a person with clean
antecedent, charge-sheet has been submitted in the case and the
informant alleges that his daughter was married to Sitaram
Mallik about seven months ago and after marriage, petitioner
and his family members started demanding a motorcycle and a
golden chain by way of dowry, it is further alleged that due to
non-fulfillment of dowry demand, his daughter was killed on
22.12.2020 and body was cremated without the knowledge of
the informant and the accused persons absconded from the



house.

The learned counsel submits that petitioner is the mother-in-law of the deceased and is separate in mess and property, the deceased committed suicide on account of differences with her husband and husband is in custody. It is further submitted that co-accused Shankar Mallik has been granted bail by order dated 07.02.2022 in Criminal Misc. No. 51252 of 2021.

The learned A.P.P. for the State opposes the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

Considering the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 13.02.2021, is a person with clean antecedent and charge-sheet has been submitted in the case and the husband is in the custody, 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 the learned court below where the case is pending/successor court in connection with Ghoghardiha P.S. Case No. 192 of 2020.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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