

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.9925 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-19 Year-2020 Thana- MAHILA P.S. District- Saharsa

Dilip Yadav Son of Mahendra Prasad Yadav @ Mahendra Yadav R/v-
Siradaypatti PS.- Saharsa Dist- Saharsa

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Chandra Mohan Jha

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Binay Krishna

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL KUMAR PANWAR
ORAL ORDER

4 08-09-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The instant application for regular bail has been filed by the petitioner, which was earlier rejected vide order dated 08.10.2021 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 16142 of 2021 in connection with Mahila P.S. case No. 19 of 2020 instituted for the offence punishable under Sections 341, 376AB, 506 of the Indian Penal Code, Section 4 of POCSO Act and Sections 3(i)(wii) of SC/ST Act.

In compliance of the order dated 28.06.2023, a status report has been received by which it appears that the case is fixed for evidence of prosecution and only three witnesses have been examined out of eight charge-sheet witnesses. It is also mentioned in the report that the P.O. of the concerned court has



been transferred and the court is vacant.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner is languishing in judicial custody since 05.09.2020 and the court is functional but still the trial has not been concluded within the stipulated time frame mentioned in the earlier order 08.10.2021 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 16142 of 2021.

No fresh ground is made out for reconsideration of the regular bail application of the petitioner. Accordingly, this application is rejected.

The learned trial court is directed to conclude the trial within a period of six months failing which, the petitioner will be at liberty to renew his prayer for bail.

(Sunil Kumar Panwar, J)

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