

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.11232 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-628 Year-2016 Thana- COMPLAINT CASE District- Supaul

Shrawan Sah S/o Ramesh Sah R/o Rahua Tulsiyahi, P.S. Bihara, District Saharsa.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar.
2. Smt. Sulekha Devi W/o Shrawan Sah D/o Maheshwar Sah R/v Rahua Tulsiyahi, P.S. Bihara, District Saharsa At present residing of village Singiawan, P.S. Kishanpur, District Supaul.

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Patla Kumari
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Choubey Jawahar

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN
ORAL ORDER

3 23-06-2023 Heard both sides.

The petitioner apprehends his arrest in a case registered for the offences punishable under Sections 147, 323, 379, 498(A), 504 and 506 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 3/4 of the Dowry Prohibition Act.

Petitioner, who is husband of opposite party no.2, is said to have ousted the opposite party no.2 from her matrimonial home in association of his family members over the dowry demand.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner is an innocent person and has committed no offence. Petitioner has neither made any dowry demand nor drove her out of her matrimonial home nor tormented her over the demand of dowry. He is still ready to keep her with full honour and dignity.



The petitioner has relied upon the judgment of this Court in the case of ***Md. Naimul Haque Ansari @ Naimul Haque Ansari & Ors. Vs. The State of Bihar***, reported in ***2006 (3) PLJR 182***.

In that view of the matter, let the above named petitioner, be released on bail, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the learned court below within a period of six weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of Rs.25,000/- (rupees twenty five 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 Complaint Case No.628C/2016, subject to the conditions laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

If so advised, either of the parties will be at liberty to make an application before the learned court below for referring the matter to the District Mediation Centre for the purpose of reconciliation or for one time settlement.

Accordingly, this application stands disposed of.

(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)

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