

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.32475 of 2023**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-504 Year-2022 Thana- PAKARIBARAW District- Nawada

SANGAT MANJHI SON OF KAMO MANJHI Resident of Village-
Mathgulani, P.S.-Pakribrawan, District-Nawada

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sheo Kumar Prasad , Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Sanjay Kumar Singh, Addl. Public Prosecutor

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER**

2 24-07-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the

State.

2. Petitioner apprehends arrest in a case registered for
the offence punishable under sections 302, 34 of the I.P.C .

3. As per the prosecution case, this petitioner along
with co-accused persons Karu Manjhi and Sangat Manjhi
assaulted the husband of the informant due to which he died.

4. It is submitted that only on the basis of suspicion
this petitioner has been made accused in this case. There is 10
days delay in lodging the F.I.R for which there is no
explanation . It is further submitted that informant is not an eye-
witness of the occurrence. Petitioner claims clean antecedent.

5. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer
for bail and submitted that delay in lodging the F.I.R has already



been explained by the informant in the F.I.R itself . It is further submitted that husband of the informant disclosed that co-accused Karu Mandal and this petitioner Sangat Manjhi assaulted him. Post mortem report also corroborates the prosecution case.

6. Considering the nature and gravity of allegation, prayer for pre-arrest bail of the petitioner is rejected.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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