

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.35590 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-471 Year-2022 Thana- JAKKANPUR District- Patna

Sumant Kumar, aged about 19 years, Male, Son of Uma Paswan @ Uma Kant
Ram Resident of village - Karma, P.S. - Arrah Muffasil, Distt. - Bhojpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ashok Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Sangeeta Sharma, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL DUTTA MISHRA
ORAL ORDER

2 07-07-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with
Jakkanpur P.S. Case No. 471 of 2022 dated 04.09.2022
registered for the offence punishable under Section 366(A) of
the Indian Penal Code and 8/12 of the POCSO Act.

The allegation against the petitioner is that the minor
daughter of the informant fled away with him on the pretext of
marriage.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner had not taken the daughter of the informant with him
and the victim in her statement under Section 164 Cr.P.C. stated
that she herself went to the house of her *Bua* (Aunt) at Ara
because she had quarrel with the brother and parent of the



victim. She has not alleged any allegation against the petitioner.
The petitioner has no criminal antecedent and is in jail custody since 08.09.2022.

Learned APP appearing for the State opposes the prayer for regular bail of the petitioner.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case and submissions of learned counsel for the parties, let the petitioner, above named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Additional Sessions Judge, VIth -cum-Special Judge, POCSO, Patna in connection with Jakkanpur P.S. Case No. 471 of 2022.

(Sunil Dutta Mishra, J)

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