

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.36441 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-439 Year-2022 Thana- KUDHNI District- Muzaffarpur

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ALOK RANJAN Son of Phudeni Chaudhary Resident of village - Kharauna
Dih, P.S. - Kudhani, Distt. - Muzaffarpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Ms. Bela Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s	:	Mr. Rajiv Nayan, A.P.P.
For the Informant	:	Mr. Hari Kishore Thakur, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

- 2 31-07-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the State.
2. Petitioner apprehends arrest in case registered for the offences punishable under Sections 304B, 201/34 of the Indian Penal Code.
3. It is alleged that this petitioner along with other F.I.R. named accused persons killed the sister of the informant due to non-fulfillment of demand of dowry.
4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the deceased was suffering from diarrhea and vomiting and died during the course of treatment. Petitioner has been made accused in the present case only because he is husband of the deceased.
5. Learned counsel for the informant opposes the



prayer for bail and submits that the deceased died unnaturally within three years of her marriage. Petitioner is husband of the deceased and there is direct and specific allegation of torture and harassment against him due to non-fulfillment of demand of dowry.

6. Considering the nature of accusation and gravity of the offence, prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioner is refused.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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