

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.45684 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-22 Year-2021 Thana- DINARA District- Rohtas

Lakshmi Narayan Singh @ Lakshmi Yadav @ Mantosh Singh Son Of Madan Singh Resident Of Village- Khairahi (Gopalpur), P.S. - Dinara, Dist. - Rohtas (Sasaram)

... .. Petitioner

Versus

1. THE STATE OF BIHAR
2. South Bihar Power Distribution Company Limited, Electricity Board, Patna Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner	:	Mr.Anirudh Mishra, Advocate
For the State	:	Mr.Narendra Kumar Singh, Addl Public Prosecutor
for opposite party no.2	:	Mr Dr.Anand Kumar, Advocate

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

3 18-09-2023 Heard learned counsel for the parties.

2. Petitioner apprehends arrest in a case registered for the offences punishable under Sections 147, 332, 353, 504 and 506 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 135 of the Electricity Act.

3. It is a case of theft of electricity by running a flour mill and rice mill. The total loss calculated by the Electricity Company is Rs. 13,79,638/-. Petitioner and other accused persons abused and assaulted the staff of the electricity department and also tried to kidnap the Executive Engineer.

4. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the specific accusation of assault is against co-



accused Dhanjee Singh and Reena Sihgh who have already been allowed anticipatory bail vide annexure 2. Petitioner claims clean antecedent.

5. Learned counsel for the opposite party no.2 opposes the prayer for bail.

6. Considering the nature and gravity of accusation, prayer for bail of the petitioner is rejected.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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