

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.68171 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-4 Year-2016 Thana- ECONOMIC OFFENCES, BIHAR
District- Patna

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Dharmendra Kumar Rajak, Son of Deputy Rajak, R/O Vill.- Panditpur, P.S.-
Barahra, District - Bhojpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar through The Superintendent of Police, Economic Offence,
Bihar, Patna

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Fakhruddin Ali Ahmad, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Amit Kumar Rakesh, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MADHURESH PRASAD
ORAL ORDER

6 02-01-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Economic Offences P.S. Case No.04 of 2016 (Special Case No.20 of 2016 registered for the offence punishable under Sections 8/20(b)(ii)(c), 25, 29 of the NDPS Act, pending in the court of learned A.D.J.-IV-cum-Special Judge, NDPS, Patna.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that prosecution witnesses have already been examined. The accused has also been examined under Section 313 Cr.P.C. Now the matter is pending for the defence to examine its witnesses. He submits that defence would hardly be taking one month for producing its witnesses. He, however, raises an apprehension that matter may not be concluded expeditiously.

In view of such submission, the bail application for the present is being dismissed with observation that the trial court shall proceed expeditiously to conclude the trial, in accordance with law, without granting unnecessary adjournments.



This Court would expect that the petitioner’s counsel would honour his undertaking in the instant proceedings regarding supply of the requisite court fee etc. within two weeks from the date he is called upon to do so by the office.

(Madhuresh Prasad, J)

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