

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.60971 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-164 Year-2022 Thana- SAKRA District- Muzaffarpur

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ARVIND PASWAN S/O Chandrika Paswan R/O Village- Amarakh, P.S-
Maniyari, District- Muzaffarpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Raju Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Satyendra Narayan Singh, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE
ORAL ORDER

3 04-03-2023 The matter has been taken up for online hearing
through video conferencing.

This application for regular bail arises out of Trial No.
39 of 2022 arising out of Sakra P.S. Case No. 164 of 2022
disclosing offences punishable under Sections-363, 365/34 of
the Indian Penal Code and Sections-3/4 of the POCSO Act.

Considering the accusation against the petitioner that
he along with one Subodh Paswan, kidnapped the informant's
minor daughter and she was subjected to sexual assault as
emerging from the statement of the victim recorded under
Section 164 of the CrPC, I am not inclined to accede to the



prayer for release of the petitioner on bail for the present.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that he is in custody since 23.04.2022. In such view of the matter, it is observed that if there is no substantial progress at the trial, the petitioner shall be at liberty to renew his prayer for bail after six months.

This application is accordingly rejected.

(Chakradhari Sharan Singh, ACJ)

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