

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.63960 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-44 Year-2021 Thana- BETTIAH CITY District- West
Champaran

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KARAN KUMAR Son of Ganesh Sah @ Dhanesh Sah Resident of Village -
Turaha Toli, Ward No.- 10, P.S. - Kalibag O.P., District - West Champaran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sanjeev Kumar
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Syed Mojibur Rahman

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL KUMAR PANWAR
ORAL ORDER

3 02-03-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner has prayed for regular bail in a case
registered for the offence punishable under sections 366A/34 of
the Indian Penal Code.

As per prosecution case, informant alleged that on
16.01.2021 her daughter, aged about 15 years, had gone to
attend coaching classes and did not return. After search, the
informant got information that the victim has been kidnapped
for the purpose of marriage by petitioner along with co-accused
persons.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. He has



falsely been implicated in this case due to village politics. The statement of the victim recorded under Section 164 of Cr.P.C, which is annexed as Annexure-2, wherein, she stated that she went with this petitioner with her own sweet will thereafter, they solemnized marriage in a nearby temple. It is further submitted that the victim girl is aged about 17 to 19 years old. Moreover, petitioner is languishing in judicial custody since 12.04.2022.

Learned APP appearing for the state has opposed the prayer of regular bail.

Having heard learned counsel for the parties and considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this court is inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. The above named petitioner is directed to be released on bail in connection with Bettiah (T) Kalibagh P.S. Case No. 44 of 2021 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned C.J.M., Bettiah, West Champaran.

(Sunil Kumar Panwar, J)

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