

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.66799 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-124 Year-2019 Thana- COMPLAINT CASE District- Lakhisarai

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Ashok Kumar @ Ashok Singh S/O Chandardeo R/O Village- Walipur, P.S-
Pipariya, District- Lakhisarai

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Manju Singh W/O Gopal Prasad Singh @ Braj Mohan Prasad Singh R/O
Village- Walipur, P.S- Pipariya, District- Lakhisarai

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Vaishnavi Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Uday Chand Prasad, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

2 23-02-2023 Heard learned counsel appearing on behalf of the

petitioner and learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State.

Let the defect(s), if any, be removed within a period

of four weeks from today.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with

Complaint Case No. 124C of 2019 registered for the offence

under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 and 120(B) of the Indian

Penal Code (for short 'I.P.C.').

The accused/petitioner is named in the F.I.R. and is in

custody since 08.09.2022.



The allegation against the petitioner is to attest sale deed as an attesting witness/identifier which later on found disputed for which the allegation of cheating and forgery was raised by informant against other co-accused persons.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submitted that the thrust of allegation, as regard to cheating and forgery, is not available against this petitioner and the maximum allegation, which is available, is to attest the sale deed. It is further submitted that petitioner is not a beneficiary in any manner out of alleged transaction. While concluding the argument, it has been submitted that investigation has been completed, for which, charge-sheet has been submitted, as such, there is no chance of tampering with the evidence.

Learned APP for the State opposes the prayer of bail.

Considering the facts and circumstances as mentioned above and by taking note of the fact, as petitioner is an attesting witness coupled with the fact that charge-sheet has already been submitted, let the petitioner, above named, is directed to be released on bail in connection with Complaint Case No. 124C of 2019 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class,



Lakhisarai/concerned court, subject to the conditions as mentioned under Section 437 (3) of the Cr.P.C.

(Chandra Shekhar Jha, J)

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