

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.73020 of 2022**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-465 Year-2020 Thana- NARPATGANJ District- Araria

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MUKESH SINGH @ MUKESH KUMAR SINGH S/o Sujen Prasad Singh @
Surendra Narayan Singh R/o Village- Mirdaul ward no. 01, P.S.- Narpatganj,
Distt- Araria.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Mukesh Kumar Rana, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Uday Pratap Singh, APP

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN
ORAL ORDER**

2 24-03-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

The petitioner apprehends his arrest in a case registered
for the offence punishable u/s 406, 420 of the IPC.

Allegedly, the petitioner committed forgery of
Rs.1,50,000/- from the informant.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that
petitioner is quite innocent and has committed no offence. He
has been falsely implicated in this case. No such occurrence, in
the manner as alleged, has ever taken place. It is submitted that
the alleged occurrence is said to have taken place on 06.06.2016
and F.I.R. was lodged on 14.10.2020 i.e. after delay of four
years, without giving any plausible explanation, which creates



doubt about the prosecution case. Petitioner has no criminal antecedent.

Learned APP for the State opposed the prayer for bail.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, considering the delay in lodging the F.I.R., let the above named petitioner, be released on bail, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of six weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned court below where the case is pending/Successor Court in connection with Narpatganj P.S. Case No.465 of 2020, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)

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