

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.74496 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-728 Year-2022 Thana- SIKARPUR District- West Champaran

SANTOSH PASWAN @ SANTOSH KUMAR SON OF SUDHIR PASWAN
RESIDENT OF VILLAGE - PIPRA DIULIA WARD NO.- 25, P.S. -
SHIKARPUR, DIST. - WEST CHAMPARAN

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR PATNA,

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Binod Kumar Sinha

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Shailendra Kumar

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 29-11-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

2. The petitioner is in custody since 11.09.2023 in connection with Shikarpur P.S. Case No. 728/2022 registered for the offence punishable under Sections 363/341/342/34 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 12 of the POCSO Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, the petitioner is accused of kidnapping the victim who has been recovered after two hours.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case. He further submits that there is no eye-witness to the occurrence. He next submits that the parties have settled the dispute and filed a compromise petition. The petitioner has no criminal



antecedents.

5. Learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing on behalf of the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, let the petitioner above named be released on bail, on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Additional Sessions Judge 7th cum Special Judge (POCSO), West Champaran, Bettiah, in connection with Shikarpur P.S. Case No. 728/2022.

(Sandeep Kumar, J)

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