

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.2496 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-8 Year-2022 Thana- JOGBANI District- Araria

KARTIK SAHNI @ SURAJ SAHNI @ SURAJ KUMAR @ SARJU SAHNI
S/o Satyanarayan Sahni R/v- Tikuliya, P.S.- Jogbani, District- Araria

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Gopal Kumar Jha
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Md. Aslam Ansari

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL KUMAR PANWAR
ORAL ORDER

3 19-06-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner has prayed for bail in a case instituted for
the offence under Sections 304(B)/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

The allegation against the petitioner along with others is
of killing the daughter of the informant, due to non-fulfillment of
dowry demand.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that
petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case. He has
committed no offence. He submitted that there is no direct
evidence against the petitioner in respect of commission of
murder. Petitioner has got no criminal antecedent as stated in para-
3 of the bail petition. Petitioner is languishing in judicial custody
since 13.01.2022.



Learned APP for the State has opposed the application for bail and submitted that petitioner is the husband of the deceased and death has been occurred within seven years of marriage. As per Postmortem report, it appears that cause of death is Asphyxia as a result of injuries and throttling. The sole responsibility of taking care of the deceased is upon her husband (petitioner) but he did not do so. During investigation several witnesses have also supported the prosecution case.

Having heard the learned counsel for the parties and considering the nature of allegation, this court is not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail and, as such, his prayer for bail stands rejected.

The trial Court is directed to conclude the trial expeditiously.

(Sunil Kumar Panwar, J)

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