

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.2515 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-294 Year-2022 Thana- BANKA District- Banka

PRITAM KUMAR @ PREETAM KUMAR Son of Pappu Sharma R/V-
Amarpur, P.S- Banka Dist- Banka

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Vibhakar Kumar

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Tarun Prasad Mandal

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 25-05-2023 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and

learned counsel for 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 Banka
P.S. Case No. 294 of 2022 registered for the offence under
Section 366(A) of the Indian Penal Code and Section 4/8 of the
POCSO Act, 2012.

The allegation against the petitioner and other
accused in short is that the victim girl disappeared and for that
the informant suspected the petitioner and his family members.

It has been argued by the learned counsel for the
petitioner that the petitioner is innocent and the girl had an affair
with the petitioner and they had eloped and thereafter, they got
married at Devghar in Baba Baidyanath Dham Temple. He also
submits that in the medical examination, the age of the girl has
been found between 17-19 years.



Learned A.P.P. has vehemently opposed the prayer
for bail.

Considering the aforesaid facts that the petitioner is
in custody since 02.06.2022, this application for regular bail is
allowed.

Let the petitioner, above named, be released on bail
on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with
two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the
learned Additional District and Sessions Judge-VI, Banka in
connection with Banka P.S. Case No. 294 of 2022.

(Sandeep Kumar, J)

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