

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.6252 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-139 Year-2023 Thana- BODHGAYA District- Gaya

Ranjit Kumar @ Ranjit S/O Suresh Manjhi R/O Village- Ghanghariya, Tola-
Ghato Jamuntar, P.S- Bodh Gaya, District - Gaya.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Sanyat Kumari W/O Santosah Kumar R/O Village And P.O- Bakraur, P.S-
Bodh Gaya, District - Gaya.

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Arvind Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Syed Mojibur Rahman, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAMESH CHAND
MALVIYA**

ORAL ORDER

2 16-02-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Bodh Gaya P.S. Case No. 139 of 2023 registered for the offence
under Sections 341, 323, 447, 354, 379 and 506 / 34 of the
Indian Penal Code and Sections 8 and 12 of POCSO Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, the allegation against the
petitioner is that he has outraged the modesty of a minor girl.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in the
present case. He is in judicial custody since 24.11.2023. The
petitioner has no criminal antecedent as stated in para 3 of the



petition.

5. However, learned APP for the State vehemently opposed the prayer for regular bail.

6. Having heard learned counsel for the parties, perused the F.I.R. and impugned order dated 13.12.2023 passed by learned Special Judge, POCSO- cum- Additional District and Sessions Judge – VI, Gaya it appears that total 18 accused have committed offence under Sections 341, 323, 447, 354, 379 and 506/34 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 8 and 12 of POCSO Act. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, the above named petitioner is directed to be released on bail *after framing of charge* on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Special Judge, POCSO-cum- Additional District and Sessions Judge – VI, Gaya in connection with Bodh Gaya P.S. Case. 139 of 2023.

(Ramesh Chand Malviya, J)

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