

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.11069 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-695 Year-2023 Thana- SHASTRINAGAR District- Patna

Manglam @ Mangalam Kumar S/O Swatantra Kumar Resident Of 44a, Akashwani Road, North Khajpura, P.O.-Vetnary College, P.S.-Shastri Nagar, District-Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Smt. Khushbu Sharma W/o Manglam @ Mangalam Kumar, D/o Rampujan Sharma Resident of North Jai Prakash Nagar, Shiv Mandir Road, P.S.-Rajiv Nagar, District-Patna.

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Raju Prasad, Adv.
For the Opposite Party/s	:	Ms. Shaheen Begum, APP
		Mr. Pramod Kumar, Adv.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

4 27-06-2024 Earlier, the matter was referred to Mediation Centre, but the dispute between the parties could not be settled through the process of mediation and as such, mediation failed (report at flag 'A').

2. Heard the parties.

3. The petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection with Shastri Nagar P.S. Case No. 695 of 2023 registered under Sections 341, 342, 323, 498A, 504, 506, 34 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 3/4 of the Dowry Prohibition Act.

4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that the petitioner is the husband of the Opposite party



no. 2. The petitioner offers and undertakes that he is ready to give maintenance amount of Rs. 3,000/- per month, starting from this month, to opposite party no. 2.

5. In view of the undertaking of learned counsel for the petitioner that petitioner is ready to give maintenance amount of Rs. 3,000/- (three thousand) per month to the opposite party no. 2, in the event of arrest or surrender before the learned court below within a period of six weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate-IX, Patna in connection with Shastri Nagar P.S. Case No. 695 of 2023, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C as well as on the following conditions:-

‘(i) Opposite party no. 2 would file an affidavit before the Court below and bring on record her savings bank account number for its communication to the petitioner.

(ii) Petitioner would deposit the aforesaid maintenance amount per month in the savings bank account of the O.P. No. 2.

(iii) In case, the petitioner fails to deposit the maintenance amount for two consecutive months, the Court below would be at liberty to cancel the bail-bond.



(iv) The aforementioned payment will be subject to any order passed in matrimonial, maintenance or connected proceedings. The present order, in no way, will preclude the parties to resolve the issue otherwise.’

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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