

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.8455 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-146 Year-2023 Thana- NIMACHANDPURA District- Begusarai

Sonu Kumar @ Kumar Sanu S/O Pramod Sahni Village- Chandpura, Ps.
Nima Chandpura, Dist. Begusarai.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Randhir Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Brajendra Nath Pandey, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH
MISHRA**

ORAL ORDER

2 19-02-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with
Neemchandpura P.S. case No. 146 of 2023, instituted for the
offences under Sections 324, 326, 341, 307, 354B, 504, 506/34
of the Indian Penal Code.

3. Prosecution allegation, in short, is that on the
alleged date and time of occurrence, the petitioner alongwith
other co-accused Raushan Kumar entered into the house of the
informant and tried to molest her. It is further alleged that this
petitioner cut the neck of the informant with knife.



4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case. Learned counsel further submitted that there is delay of 10 days in lodging the FIR without any cogent explanation which, in itself, creates doubt over the prosecution story. The petitioner and the informant are neighbours and there is previous dispute with regard to *rasta*. Learned counsel next submitted that the matter has amicably been settled between the parties outside the Court and a copy of which has been annexed at Annexure-3 of the present bail application. Charge-sheet has been submitted in this Case. It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner that the petitioner is in custody since 28.10.2023 and has no criminal antecedent.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, the matter being amicably settled outside the Court , no criminal antecedent of the petitioner as also the period of custody undergone by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

7. Let the petitioner be released on bail, **after framing of charge**, if not already framed, on furnishing bail bonds of



Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount
each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in
connection with Neemchandpura P.S. case No. 146 of 2023.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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