

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.13844 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-73 Year-2023 Thana- GHOGHARDIHA District- Madhubani

1. Manju Devi Wife of Sanjay Jha, Presently Ward Chairman of Ward No.10 under Gram Panchayat Chikna Resident of Vill. and Post-Chikna, P.s.- Ghoghardiha, Distt.-Madhubani
2. Aarti Devi Wife of Vijay Jha, Presently Ward Secretary of Ward No. 10 under Gram Panchayat Chikna Resident of Vill. and Post-Chikna, P.s.- Ghoghardiha, Distt.-Madhubani
3. Sabitari Devi Wife of Basudev Thakur, Presently Ward Chairman of Ward No.11 under Gram Panchayat Chikna Resident of Vill.- Bhirahar, P.O.- Biraul, P.s.-Ghoghardiha, Distt.-Madhubani
4. Sita Devi Wife of Balram Mukhiya, Presently Ward Secretary of Ward No.11 under Gram Panchayat Chikna Resident of Vill.- Bhirahar, P.O.- Biraul, P.s.-Ghoghardiha, Distt.-Madhubani

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Jitendra Bharti
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Parmeshwar Mehta

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DR. ANSHUMAN
ORAL ORDER

3 19-04-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioners are apprehending arrest in connection with Ghoghardiha P.S. Case No. 73 of 2023 registered on 03.05.2023 lodged under Sections 409/420/34 of the I.P.C.

3. As per the prosecution case, F.I.R. has been lodged against 20 named accused persons including the petitioners



against whom there is an allegation of defalcation of the Government money.

4. Counsel further submits that petitioners are innocent and has committed no offence. He further submits that petitioners are having clean antecedent. Counsel further submit that vide order dated 12.03.2024, a direction was made to the District Magistrate concerned to file a counter affidavit with respect to the claim of the petitioners that they have completed their work sincerely and interim protection was granted. Counsel submits that Counter affidavit has been filed. has been filed.

5. Upon perusal of the Report, it transpires to this Court that vide Annexure-A of the report, work has been completed.

6. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for bail.

7. As such, considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, let the above named petitioners be released on bail in the event of arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of four weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 30,000/- (thirty thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Chief



Judicial Magistrate, 1st Class, Jhanjharpur subject to the
conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C,

(Dr. Anshuman, J)

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