

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.26176 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-496 Year-2023 Thana- KOTWALI District- Patna

Ashish Kumar @ Ashish Kumar Jha @ Abhisekh Kumar S/o Girish Chandra
Jha R/o- Po Mohalla Flat No. - 206, Maharaja Kameshwar Complex, P.S. -
Kotwali, Dist. - Patna

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Budhilal Yadav, Adv.
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Dilip Kumar No. 1, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 12-08-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. appearing on behalf of the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection with
Kotwali P.S. Case No. 496 of 2023 for the offences punishable
under Sections 341, 323, 498A and 506 of the Indian Penal
Code.

3. There is allegation against the petitioner of matrimonial
cruelty and demand of dowry.

4. It is submitted on behalf of the petitioner that the
petitioner is the husband of informant and has never assaulted
informant nor demanded any dowry. Petitioner is ready to keep
his wife with full honour and dignity. It is further submitted that
pursuant to the order dated 01.11.2017 passed by Learned
Principle Judge, Family Court, Patna in Matrimonial Case No.
317(M) of 2016, the petitioner is paying Rs. 6,000/- (six



thousand) per month as maintenance to informant and Rs. 2,000/- (two thousand) each towards maintenance of minor child (total Rs. 11,000/- per month) and petitioner undertakes to pay the same regularly.

5. Learned A.P.P. appearing on behalf of the State opposed the prayer for bail.

6. Considering the fact that petitioner is paying Rs. 6,000/- (six thousand) per month as maintenance to informant and Rs. 2,000/- (two thousand) each towards maintenance of minor child (total Rs. 11,000/- per month) and undertakes to pay the same regularly, the prayer for anticipatory bail of petitioner is allowed.

7. Accordingly, 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 Chief Judicial Magistrate, Patna in connection with Kotwali P.S. Case No. 496 of 2023, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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