

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.19743 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-694 Year-2023 Thana- MAKHDUMPUR District- Jehanabad

Madan Lal Vyas S/o- Late Shankar Lal Village- ward no 20 Brahman
Mohalla Deopura Nagar, Runija PS- Suasra, Dist- Mandsaur MP.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Bhola Kumar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s	:	Mr. Yogendra Kumar, APP
For the informant	:	Mr. Arvind Kumar, Advocate

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN
ORAL ORDER

6 22-11-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State assisted by learned counsel for the informant.

2. The petitioner apprehends his arrest in Makhdumpur
Tehta (OP) P.S. Case No.694 of 2023 for alleged offences under
Sections 366A/34, 363, 365, 376 (3), 370 (4), 372, 372 & 120B
of the Indian Penal Code, Sections 4, 6 and 8 of the POCSO
Act, Section 8/9 of the Immoral Traffic Act and Sections 9, 10
& 11 of the Child Marriage Act.

3. Vide order dated 04.10.2024, a report was called
for from the learned Court below regarding the stage of the trial
and the time likely to be taken in conclusion of the trial. In
compliance thereof, a report dated 08.10.2024 has been sent by
the learned Additional Sessions Judge-VI-cum-Special Judge



(POCSO), Jehanabad, which is at Flag ‘F’ to this application. In his report, the learned Judge has, *inter alia*, stated that out of eleven charge-sheet witnesses, two have been examined and probably trial would be concluded within six to seven months.

4. Considering the facts and circumstances of case, the seriousness of the allegation levelled against the petitioner and the report of the learned Judge, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. The prayer for bail is hereby once again rejected.

5. The learned Trial Court is directed to conclude the trial as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of seven months.

(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)

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