

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.22496 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-676 Year-2023 Thana- KUDHNI District- Muzaffarpur

Nand Kishor Paswan S/O- Late Binda Paswan @ Bindra Paswan R/O-
Village- Dayalpur Padmaul, P.S.- Kudhani, Dist.- Muzaffarpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Gaurav Kumar, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Umesh Lal Verma, APP

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

ORAL ORDER

3 10-05-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and

learned APP for the State. Perused the case diary.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with

Kudhani P.S. Case No. 676 of 2023 instituted for the

offences under Sections 420, 489(b), 489(c), 468, 471, 34

of the Indian Penal Code.

3. As per prosecution case, there has been recovery

of total 9 counterfeit notes from the possession of the

accused petitioner.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that

the petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence as

alleged against him and has falsely been implicated in the



present case merely on suspicion. He further submits that nothing incriminating has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner has no concern with the alleged seized counterfeit notes. There is a non-compliance of Section 100 of the Cr.P.C. which creates a serious doubt in the prosecution case. The petitioner has no criminal antecedent and is languishing in judicial custody since 06.12.2023 without any rhymes or reason.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioner again submits that the co-accused namely Manoj Kumar has been granted bail by this Court vide order dated 25.04.2024 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 31913 of 2024.

6. On the other hand, learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

7. Considering the entire facts and circumstances of the case and taking into account the period of custody of the petitioner and the petitioner having no criminal antecedent as also the prayer for bail being based on parity, let the petitioner, abovenamed, be released on bail, 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 Kudhani
P.S. Case No. 676 of 2023.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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