

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.26987 of 2024**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-1115 Year-2021 Thana- KHAJANCHI HAT District- Purnia

Pankaj Kumar @ Pankaj Singh, S/O Late Ramnath Singh, R/O Village-  
Pakra, P.S- Naugachia, Distt.- Bhagalpur. ... .. Petitioner  
Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Amrendra Kumar, Adv.  
For the Opposite Party/s : Dr. Indihar Kumari, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SHAILENDRA SINGH**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      28-06-2024                      Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned  
APP for the State.

2. Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with K.  
Hat (Maranga) P.S. Case No. 1115 of 2021 dated 28.11.2021  
registered for the offence punishable under Section 392 of the  
Indian Penal Code.

3. As per the prosecution story, the informant's vehicle  
was snatched by some unknown miscreants from the alleged  
place.

4. The main submissions advanced by learned counsel  
for the petitioner are that the FIR was lodged against four  
unknown persons and during investigation one, namely, Abhishek  
Kumar was arrested who revealed the role of this petitioner in the  
alleged crime but except the said confessional statement of the  
accused, there is no any other material against this petitioner and  
the said co-accused has been granted bail by a co-ordinate Bench



of this Court vide order dated 05.09.2022 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 33292/2022. Learned counsel further submits that nothing has been recovered from conscious possession of this petitioner and the seized articles have been recovered from the house of another person namely Pankaj Singh, son of Sitaram Singh and this petitioner has been implicated in this case merely because his name is identical to the above-named person from whose house the seized articles were recovered and the said articles were not matched with the looted articles and the petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case and he has been languishing in jail since 17.10.2023.

5. Learned APP appearing for the State has opposed the bail prayer.

6. Considering the above submissions and mainly taking into account petitioner's plea that nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner and his name transpired in this case mainly on the basis of confessional statement of co-accused who has been granted bail by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court, this Court is inclined to release the petitioner on bail. Accordingly, let the petitioner named-above be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/-(Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount



each to the satisfaction of the concerned Court in connection  
with K. Hat (Maranga) P.S. Case No. 1115 of 2021.

(Shailendra Singh, J)

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