

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.40198 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-112 Year-2019 Thana- GAURICHAK District- Patna

Sanjeet Kumar, Son of Sushil Rai @ Gorakh Rai, Resident of Village -
Jamalpur, P.S.- Gaurichak, District - Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Jay Ram Prasad, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Ms.Renu Kumari, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DR. ANSHUMAN
ORAL ORDER

3 14-08-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Sessions Trial Case No. 1307/2022, arising out of Gaurichak
P.S. Case No. 112/2019, lodged on 05.03.2019 under Sections
304B and 34 of the Indian Penal Code.

3. The prayer for bail of the petitioner has earlier been
rejected twice vide orders dated 10.08.2022 and 12.07.2023
passed in Criminal Miscellaneous No. 13020 of 2022 and
Criminal Miscellaneous No. 28531 of 2023 respectively. While
rejecting the prayer vide order dated 12.07.2023, he was given
liberty to renew his prayer for bail after nine months from the
date of passing of the order.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the



nine months have already lapsed and the trial has not been concluded.

5. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for bail and submits that on earlier occasion, a report with regard to the present stage of the case has been called for.

6. Upon perusal of the progress report, it transpires that the charge was framed on 23.02.2023 and the prosecution witness is going on. The report further reflects that three accused persons absconded, hence, their bail bonds have been cancelled.

7. In the present facts and circumstances, I am not inclined to grant regular bail to the petitioner.

8. Accordingly, the prayer for regular bail of the petitioner in connection with Sessions Tr. No. 1307/2022, arising out of Gaurichak P.S. Case No. 112/2019, pending before the learned Additional Sessions Judge-IV, Patna City is hereby rejected.

(Dr. Anshuman, J)

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