

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.41025 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-85 Year-2024 Thana- HARLAKHI District- Madhubani

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Ankit Kumar @ Ankit Thakur, Son of Phuleshwar Thakur Kuleshwar Thakur,
Resident of Village- Rampur, P.S- Harlakhi Dist- Madhubani.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar.

... .. Opposite Party

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.Bhavesh Kumar Sah, Advocate
	:	Mr.Vinod Kumar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s	:	Mr.Manoj Kumar, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

- 2 12-06-2024 1. Heard learned counsel appearing on behalf
- of the petitioner and learned counsel appearing on behalf
- of the State.
2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with
- Harlakhi P.S Case No.85 of 2024 registered for the
- offence under Sections 341, 323, 324, 354, 379, 34 of
- Indian Penal Code.
3. The petitioner is named in the F.I.R. and is
- in custody since 04.04.2024.
4. The allegation against the petitioner is to
- outrage the modesty of the informant, while she was



returning after attending '**Jhanda Mela**', where during the course of occurrence, she was assaulted by knife and also her golden chain was snatched.

5. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submitted that the petitioner falsely implicated with the present case out of local disputes and differences. It is submitted that from bare perusal of F.I.R, it appears that it is a case of snatching but it was given a colour of outraging modesty. It is further submitted that the occurrence also *prima facie* negate sexual intention on part of petitioner. While concluding the argument, it is pointed out that petitioner is a man of clean antecedent.

6. Learned APP opposes the prayer of bail.

7. Considering the facts and circumstances as mentioned above as *prima facie* the allegation as raised against petitioner is not appears suggesting sexual intention, who is man of clean antecedent and is in custody since. 04.04.2024, accordingly, petitioner



above named, is directed to be released on bail in connection with Harlakhi P.S Case No. 85 of 2024 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, (Benipati) Madhubani, subject to the conditions as mentioned under Section 437(3) of the Cr.P.C.

(Chandra Shekhar Jha, J)

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