

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.51653 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-172 Year-2024 Thana- SAUR BAZAR District- Saharsa

Ranjeet Kumar @ Ranjeet Kumar Sah S/o Vijen Sah @ Vijendra Sah
Resident of Village Tola Soriyari Ward No 3 P.S. Sour Bazar District Saharsa
... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Dashrath Rajak Son of Late Guneshwar Rajak R/O of Vill- Bishanpur, Ward no- 4, P.S- Sour Bazar (Patarghat O.P), Dist- Saharsa.
... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Kamal Kishore Singh
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Md. Fahimuddin

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE NAWNEET KUMAR
PANDEY**

ORAL ORDER

2 30-07-2024 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner as well
as the learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

2. The petitioner is seeking regular bail in connection with Sour Bazar (Patarghat O.P.) P.S. Case No. 172 of 2024 for the offences punishable under Sections 363, 366A of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 8, 12 of the POCSO Act.

3. As per allegation, on 20.02.2024, the informant's daughter went to appear in matric examination from his house but she did not return. It is further alleged that at the instance of co-accused Punam Devi, Lakhichan Ram came to his house and demanded his mobile and apprised that her daughter had fled away with the petitioner.

4. The learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted



that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. He has further submitted that the age of the victim as per medical report is between 17 to 19 years and in her statement recorded under Section 164 of the CrPC, she did not make any allegation against the petitioner. He has further submitted that the petitioner is a person of clean antecedent and is under custody since 06.03.2024.

5. On the other hand, the learned APP for the State has opposed the prayer for bail.

6. Considering the above-mentioned facts and circumstances, let the petitioner above-named be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (ten thousand rupees) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Special Judge, POCSO Saharsa in connection with Sour Bazar (Patarghat O.P.) P.S. Case No. 172 of 2024, subject to the following conditions:-

- (i) The petitioner shall cooperate in the disposal of trial and make himself available as and when required by the court.

(Nawneet Kumar Pandey, J)

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