

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.60748 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-1199 Year-2022 Thana- BEGUSARAI COMPLAINT CASE
District- Begusarai

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ARVIND KUMAR SHARMA S/o- LATE KAMLESHWARI SHARMA
Village- Mahshwada Ps- Nawkothi Dist- Begusarai

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Suman Kumari wife of Arvind Kumar Sharma, D/o- Baiju Sharma Village- Maisana Ps- Gadhpura Dist- Begusarai

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Yogesh Kumar
For the State	:	Mr. Ashok Kumar Singh
For the OP No. 2	:	Mr. Vikram Anurag

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

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| 4 | 29-02-2024 | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Heard learned Counsel for the petitioner, learned Counsel for the Opposite Party No. 2 and learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.2. The petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection with Complaint Case No. 1199C of 2022, registered for the offences punishable under Sections 498-A of the Indian Penal Code.3. The allegation, as per the complaint, is that the marriage of the Opposite Party No. 2 was solemnized with the petitioner on 21.02.2021. After some time the petitioner and his family members started demanding a sum of Rs. 3,00,000/- as dowry. Due to non-fulfillment of the said |
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demand, the complainant was tortured physically and mentally and she was ousted from her matrimonial home.

4. Learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has not committed any offence in the manner alleged and he has falsely been implicated in this case. However, without prejudice to the right and contention of the petitioner, and in order to maintain harmony in the family, the petitioner is ready and willing to pay a sum of Rs. 3,000/- per month to the Opposite Party No. 2 as living cost, subject to the final outcome of the present case as well as the matrimonial case, if any, pending and/or decided between the parties.
5. Learned Counsel for the complainant-Opposite Party No. 2 accepts the offer so made by learned Counsel for the petitioner and submits that the petitioner may be directed to deposit the said amount of Rs. 3,000/- per month in the bank account of the complainant-Opposite Party No. 2, details of which shall be furnished by learned Counsel for the Opposite Party No. 2 to learned Counsel for the petitioner within ten days from today.
6. After having heard learned Counsel for the parties and taking into consideration the materials on record and the



fact that the offer made by learned Counsel for the petitioner has been accepted by learned Counsel for the Opposite Party No. 2, I am inclined to grant the petitioner privilege of anticipatory bail.

- 7. This application is, accordingly, allowed.
- 8. Let the petitioner, above named, in the event of his arrest/surrender before the learned Court below within a period of six weeks from today, be released on bail, upon furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Begusarai, in connection with Complaint Case No. 1199C of 2022.
- 9. This is subject to the condition that the petitioner shall deposit a sum of Rs. 3,000/- per month in the bank account of Opposite Party No. 2, staring from 12th March, 2024.

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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