

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.65722 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-121 Year-2022 Thana- MAHILA P.S. District- Patna

SHUBHAM KUMAR @ SHUBHAM S/O- SHRAVAN KUMAR R/O-
VILLAGE- KRIMDICHAK, POST- AKAUNA, P.S.- MASAUHRI, DIST.-
PATNA.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. THE STATE OF BIHAR
2. ANU KUMARI W/O- SHUMBHAM KUMAR R/O- VILLAGE-
KRIMDICHAK, POST- AKAUNA, P.S.- MASAUHRI, DIST.- PATNA, AT
PRESENT RESIDENT OF VILLAGE- BANDHU BIGHA, POST-
KOCHAHASA, P.S.- KINJAR, DIST.- ARWAL.

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s :	Mr.Akhauri Kamal Kishore Sahay, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s :	Mr.Murli Dhar, APP
	Mr. Manoj Kumar Jha, Advocate

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

- 5 18-04-2024 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, learned
APP for the State along with learned counsel appearing on
behalf of the O.P. No.2.
2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in a case registered under
Section 498(A), 406 and 34 of the IPC read with Section 3 & 4
of the Dowry Prohibition Act.
3. It is further submitted that investigation in the case
is still pending.
4. It is next submitted that the case was referred for
mediation, but then the mediation proceeding failed.
5. The learned APP submits that the offences for



which the instant FIR has been instituted carries punishment of less than seven years. The said submission of the learned APP is not disputed by the learned counsel for the petitioner and the O.P. No.2.

6. In view of the submission made by the learned APP the anticipatory bail application is disposed of in terms of the order dated 13.02.2024 in Cr. Misc. No.3536 of 2024 (Naushad Ansari vs. The State of Bihar).

7. The petitioner would be at liberty to file a representation before the concerned Superintendent of Police and the Investigating Officer of the case with a web copy of the order dated 13.02.2024 in Cr. Misc. No.3536 of 2024 within a period of three weeks from today and the concerned Superintendent of Police shall ensure that the Investigating Officer of the case strictly adheres to the direction contained in the order dated 13.02.2024 in Cr. Misc. No.3536 of 2024 (Naushad Ansari vs. The State of Bihar).

8. At this stage, the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the O.P. No.2 submits that O.P. No.2 has also filed a maintenance case being Maintenance Case No.18 of 2022, which pending adjudication in the court of learned Principal Judge, Family Court, Jehanabad, but despite issuance of notice



the petitioner is not appearing. On which, the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that he will inform the petitioner about the pendency of the aforesaid maintenance case, so that he appears on the next date.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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