

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.82496 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-19 Year-2024 Thana- KHUTAUNA District- Madhubani

Pankaj Kumar @ Pankaj Kumar Yadav S/O Lachhiram Yadav @ Lakshi Ram
Yadav R/O Village- Navtol, P.S.- Phulparas, District - Madhubani.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Jitendra Kumar Bharti

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Ganesh Prasad Singh

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA PRAKASH
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ORAL ORDER

2 04-12-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner has preferred this application for grant of regular bail in connection with Khutauna P.S. Case No. 19 of 2024 dated 23.01.2024 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 399, 402 and 120B of the Indian Penal Code and 25(1-b)A, 26 and 35 of the Arms Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, one loaded country-made katta, two live cartridges and a mobile phone were recovered from the possession of the co-accused and one Katta and two live cartridges were also recovered from the possession of the petitioner while he along with other co-accused persons gathered for making preparation to commit crime.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that



the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. Nothing has been recovered from the possession of the petitioner. The petitioner has no concern with the alleged recovery. The petitioner has three criminal antecedents as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 21.01.2024. Similarly situated co-accused has already been granted regular bail by this court vide order dated 30.07.2024 passed in Cr. Misc No. 47886 of 2024.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has opposed the bail petition of the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case as well as the period of custody, the petitioner above-named, is directed to be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail-bond of Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Judicial Magistrate-1st Class, Jhanijharpur, Madhubani in connection with Khutauna P.S. Case No. 19 of 2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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