

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.84911 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-263 Year-2022 Thana- MUFFASIL District- Aurangabad

RAJU KUMAR SINGH SON OF RAM BILASH SINGH RESIDENT OF
VILLAGE - POKHARIYA, P.S. - BARACHATTI, DISTRICT - GAYA

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Binod Kumar Pandey, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Umanath Mishra, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR VERMA
ORAL ORDER

3 23-02-2024 Heard Mr. Binod Kumar Pandey, learned counsel
for the petitioner and Mr. Umanath Mishra, learned APP for the
State.

2. Petitioner seeks bail, who is in custody since
21.07.2022, in connection with Aurangabad (Muffasil) P.S. Case
No. 263 of 2022, F.I.R. dated 20.07.2022 registered for the
offences punishable under Sections 8/17(b)/18(b) of the N.D.P.S.
Act.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
the petitioner has clean antecedent and he has been falsely
implicated in the present case and earlier the bail petition of the
petitioner was rejected vide order dated 19.04.2023 passed in
Cr. Misc. No. 55011 of 2022 and other similarly situated co-
accused person namely Aklesh Kumar Yadav @ Aklesh Yadav



has been granted bail by a Coordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 20.03.2023 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 70102 of 2022.

4. Vide order dated 05.01.2024 a report was called for with regard to the stage of the trial. Report dated 15.01.2024 of the learned Trial Court reveals that out of six chargesheeted witnesses, five witnesses have already been examined.

5. Considering the nature of allegation as well as report of the learned Trial Court, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail in connection with Aurangabad (Muffasil) P.S. Case No. 263 of 2022 pending in the Court of learned Special Judge (N.D.P.S.), Aurangabad.

6. Prayer is refused.

7. However, the learned Trial Court is directed to expedite the trial and conclude the same at the earliest.

(Rajesh Kumar Verma, J)

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