

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.24010 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-162 Year-2022 Thana- BHAGWANPUR District- Vaishali

Md. Meeraj Late Md. Mumtaz @ Late Mumtaz Ahmad @ Late Md. Muntaj
Resident of village- Murgiya Chak PS -Bhagwanpur District-Vaishali at
Hajipur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Niranjan Parihar

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Rana Randhir Singh

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

ORAL ORDER

3 01-08-2025 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner as well
as the learned APP for the State.

2. The bail petition of the petitioner has twice been
rejected by this Court vide order dated 19.04.2023 in Cr. Misc.
No. 70079 of 2022 and vide order dated 23.07.2024 in Cr. Misc.
No. 38710 of 2024.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted
that the petitioner is under custody for more than three years,
and two persons, who were arrested with the petitioner, have
been granted bail by the coordinate Benches of this court. So far
as the parity of this petitioner to those who have been granted
bail by the coordinate Benches is concerned, the petitioner has
three criminal antecedents against his account, whereas co-



accused Saurabh Mishra has one criminal antecedent and co-accused Manish Kumar has no antecedent.

4. I see no reason to reconsider my earlier order whereby the bail applications of the petitioner were refused.

5. Accordingly, it is rejected.

6. However, considering the period of incarceration i.e. more than three years, the learned court below is directed to conclude the trial within a period of nine months, failing which the petitioner shall be at liberty to renew his prayer for bail.

(Nawneet Kumar Pandey, J)

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