

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.34995 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-1 Year-2022 Thana- C.B.I CASE District- Patna

Suresh Kumar Bharti Son of Late Dev Lal Paswan Resident of village -
Afjalpur, P.O.- Nauwachak, P.S.- Patepur, District - Vaishali

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI), SCB, Patna (Bihar)

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Chandan Jha, Advocate.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Bindhyachal Rai, Sr.Panel Counsel UOI

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

4 28-11-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
senior panel counsel appearing on behalf of Union of India.

2. The petitioner apprehends his arrest in a case registered for the offence under Sections 420, 409, 467, 468, 471/477A of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 13(1)(a) & 13(2) of the Prevention of Corruption Act.

3. At the outset, learned counsel appearing on behalf of Union of India submits that in this case, process of Section 82 of the Cr.P.C. has already been initiated against this petitioner and as such, this bail application is not maintainable, in view of several decisions of the Supreme Court, rendered in the case of (i) Laves v. State (NCT of Delhi), reported in (2012) 8 S.C.C. 730, (ii) State of MP v. Pradeep Sharma, reported in (2014) 2 S.C.C. 17, and (iii) Prem Shankar Prasad v. State of Bihar, reported in 2021 SCC Online SC 955.



4. Considering the aforesaid development, the application, filed for grant of anticipatory bail to petitioner, stands dismissed.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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