

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.37242 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-12 Year-2025 Thana- VIGILANCE District- Patna

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Bikash Kumar S/o Pulkit Rajak R/o Village- Basouna, Post- Basouna
Bhushwar, P.S.- Bibhutipur, District- Samastipur, Pin-848220, State- Bihar

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. The Vigilance Department Bihar, Patna Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Abhay Kumar, Advocate
For the State	:	Mr. Dilip Kumar No. 1, APP
For the Vigilance Department	:	Mr. Anil Singh, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DR. ANSHUMAN
ORAL ORDER

3 06-08-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, learned APP
for the State and learned counsel for the Vigilance Department.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Nigrani P.S. Case No. 12 of 2025 lodged on 19.03.2025 under
Section 7 (a) of the Indian Penal Code, pending before the
Special Judge, Vigilance, Bhagalpur.

3. As per the prosecution, F.I.R. has been lodged
against the petitioner, alleging that he was caught red-handed
while accepting a bribe.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. He further
submits that no money was recovered from the possession of the



petitioner. It is also submitted that the petitioner is himself a victim in this case, as he had demanded proper documents from the informant, and upon the non-availability of the same, a false case was lodged against him. He further submits that the petitioner has a clean criminal antecedent and has been in custody since 20.03.2025. Furthermore, he submits that the petitioner is ready to comply with all conditions that may be imposed upon him.

5. Learned counsel for the Vigilance Department vehemently opposes the prayer for bail and submits that, according to the FSL examination report No. 1535 of 2025 dated 15.05.2025, when the petitioner's fingers were dipped in sodium carbonate solution, the solution turned pink (report of hand wash). He further submits that when the Vigilance Investigation Bureau, Patna, went to the Special Central Jail, Bhagalpur, to obtain the petitioner's voice sample for comparison with the voice captured in the recorded conversation, the accused petitioner deliberately refused in writing to provide his voice sample.

6. Learned APP for the State also opposes the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

7. In the present facts and circumstances of this case



and the submissions made above, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, the bail application of the petitioner is hereby rejected.

(Dr. Anshuman, J.)

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