

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.46248 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-331 Year-2024 Thana- BIBHUTIPUR District- Samastipur

Bihari Lal Sharma S/o- Ramswrup Sharma R/o - Singhiyghat, P.S -
Bibhutipur, District - Samastipur, Bihar

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.Vinay Kumar Mishra
For the Opposite Party/s	:	Mr.Asha Kumari
For the Informant	:	Mr. Dhandev Kumar
		Mr. Sumit Kumar Gupta

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

3 16-09-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, learned
counsel for the informant and learned A.P.P for the State.

2. The petitioner has preferred this application for grant of regular bail in connection with Bibhutipur P.S. Case No. 331 of 2024 dated 02.10.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/ss 85 and 80 of the BNS.

3. As per the prosecution case, the petitioner and the co-accused persons are alleged to have killed the informant's daughter by hanging due to non-fulfillment of demand of Rs. two lakhs and a motorcycle as dowry.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. The petitioner is the father-in-law of the deceased. There is general and omnibus allegation against the petitioner. The petitioner neither demanded any dowry nor tortured the



deceased. As per para. 11 of the bail petition, the husband of the deceased is in custody since 12.01.2025. The other co-accused person has already been granted bail by this court *vide* order dated 23.07.2025 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 44026/2025. The petitioner has clean antecedent as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 12.01.2025.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State as well as learned counsel for the informant have vehemently opposed the bail petition of the petitioner by submitting that the informant's daughter died at her matrimonial house.

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 Court concerned, Rosera, Samastipur in connection with Bibhutipur P.S. Case No. 331 of 2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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