

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.49843 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-40 Year-2023 Thana- SAHARGHAT District- Madhubani

Manoj Thakur @ Manoj Kumar Sharma Son of Ballav Thakur @ Ram Balam
Thakur R/O Vill.- Basabariya, P.S.- Saharghat, Dist.-Madhubani

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr. Binay Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party : Mr. Tarun Prasad Mandal, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

5 21-02-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned APP for the State.

2. This is the second attempt on behalf of the
petitioner for grant of regular bail in connection with Saharghat
P.S. Case No.40 of 2023 registered for the offence under section
395 of the Indian Penal Code and under section 3/4 of the
Explosive Substances Act.

3. Earlier the bail application of the petitioner
has been rejected vide order dated 27.02.2024 passed in
Criminal Miscellaneous No.75086 of 2023.

4. The petitioner is accused in a case of *dacoity*.

5. The petitioner is in custody since
21.07.2023. He has three criminal antecedents.

6. Learned counsel for the petitioner has



submitted that the trial has started and two witnesses have been examined, who have not identified the petitioner.

7. Considering the fact that the trial has proceeded and also considering the decision of the Hon’ble Supreme Court rendered in the case of *X vs. State of Rajasthan & Anr. reported in 2024 SCC OnLine SC 3539*, I am not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, this bail application is dismissed.

(Sandeep Kumar, J)

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