

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.44926 of 2025**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-1025 Year-2023 Thana- KHAGARIA District- Khagaria

Santabali @ Santa Paswan @ Santabali Paswan S/O Mantun Paswan Resident
of village- Purvi Hardaschak, P.S- Muffasil (Khagaria), Distt.- Khagaria,
Bihar.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Shailendra Kumar Singh, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Satyendra Narayan Singh, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA PRAKASH
SINGH**

ORAL ORDER

2 30-07-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioner has preferred this application for
grant of regular bail in connection with Khagaria P.S. Case No.
1025 of 2023, dated 03.10.2023 registered for the offences
punishable under Sections 394 and 397 of the Indian Penal
Code.

3. As per the prosecution case, on 03.10.2023 when
the informant, who is Branch Manager in Kota Mirco Finance
Company, along with another employee went to SBI Main
Branch for depositing money, they were intercepted by 4
unknown persons on two motorcycles near turning point of over
bridge. The unknown persons fired toward the informant and



Abhimanyu Kumar and snatched the bag kept by Abhimanyu Kumar carrying Rs. 6 lakhs and 73 thousand and fled away towards Sanhauri.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case merely on the basis of suspicion. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. No TIP has been conducted by the prosecution. From perusal of the seizure list it appears that some articles have been recovered from Rajendra Chauk near Railway bridge and petitioner has no concern with the recovered articles. The petitioner has got 9 criminal antecedents as stated in paragraph no. 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 05.04.2025.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the bail petition of the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case as well as petitioner's 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 Only) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Khagaria, in connection with **Khagaria P.S. Case No. 1025 of 2023**, on



further condition:

(i) The petitioner is directed to remain physically present before the learned trial Court on each and every date, failing which on two consecutive dates without reasonable cause, the bail bond of the petitioner is liable to be cancelled.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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