

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.48980 of 2025**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-96 Year-2020 Thana- LODIPUR District- Bhagalpur

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Balaji @ Jai Balaji S/O Late Motilal Yadav R/O Village-Bishanpur, Jichcho,  
PS-Lodipur, Distt- Bhagalpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Swapnil Kumar Singh

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Yogendra Kumar

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE NAWNEET KUMAR**  
**PANDEY**

ORAL ORDER

5      19-12-2025                      Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and  
  
learned APP for the State.

2. This is an application for regular bail on behalf  
of the petitioner for the offences alleged under Sections 452,  
307 and 34 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 27 of the Arms  
Act, registered in connection with Lodipur P.S.Case No. 96/20.

3. Sulendra Yadav (deceased) lodged his *fardbayan*,  
stating therein that in the night of 07.05.2020 while he was  
sleeping in his room, someone came and fired at him. On  
shouting of the deceased, his wife Komal Devi (co-accused)  
came and she called the father and mother of Sulendra Yadav.  
They brought him to the hospital wherefrom he was referred to



JLNMCH Bhagalpur. On 15.05.2020, after a surgery, a bullet was taken out from the body of the deceased. The deceased died on 08.09.2020.

4. During investigation, the statement of the father of the deceased was recorded in which the father of the deceased stated that Komal Devi (wife of the deceased) had illicit relationship with the petitioner.

5. The learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner had no relationship with the wife of the deceased. As a matter of fact, the father of the deceased himself had illicit relationship with her for which Komal Devi had lodged a case being Lodipur P.S. Case No. 231/2020 against her father-in-law Dinesh Yadav. The learned counsel has submitted further that Komal Devi has been granted bail by a coordinate Bench of this Court. It is further submitted that the deceased was a person of criminal background and had twelve criminal cases were pending against him.

6. On the other hand, the learned APP for the State has opposed the prayer for bail.

7. Considering the above facts and circumstances, let the petitioner, above-named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/-(ten thousand) with two sureties of the



like amount each to the satisfaction of learned SDJM, Bhagalpur in connection with Lodipur P.S.Case No. 96/20, subject to the condition that the petitioner shall cooperate in the disposal of trial and make himself available as and when required by the court.

(Nawneet Kumar Pandey, J)

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