

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.79334 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-631 Year-2023 Thana- KAHALGAON District- Bhagalpur

Balram Muni Son of Shankar Muni R/o Village-Narayanpur, P.S-Kahalgaon,
District-Bhagalpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Manoj Kumar Jha

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Binod Kumar

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PARTHA SARTHY
ORAL ORDER

3 10-01-2025 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioner has renewed his prayer for grant
of regular bail in connection with Kahalgaon P.S. Case no. 631
of 2023 registered under sections 304B and 34 of the Indian
Penal Code.

3. As per the prosecution case, sister of the
informant was married to the petitioner about one year ago. It is
stated that the accused persons including the petitioner herein
started to torture the informant's sister. The informant was
finally informed that his sister had hung herself to death. On
reaching the place of occurrence, the informant saw that she had
been strangled.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the



earlier prayer for bail of the petitioner was rejected vide order dated 26.4.2024 (Annexure-P/1) passed in Cr. Misc. no. 6841 of 2024. Inspite of the petitioner having remained in custody since 9.6.2023 the trial has still not concluded nor is there chance of the same concluding in the near future.

5. The application for bail is opposed by learned APP for the State.

6. A report was called for from the learned trial Court. As per the report received contained in letter dated 2.12.2024, four witnesses have been examined on behalf of prosecution. Two non-official witnesses and one Investigating Officer remain to be examined.

7. Having heard learned counsel for the parties and taking into consideration the allegations against the petitioner in the F.I.R, the petitioner being the husband of the deceased together with the progress in the trial in the learned trial Court wherein four witnesses have been examined on behalf of the prosecution, the Court is not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail and the application is rejected.

(Partha Sarthy, J)

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