

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.79473 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-277 Year-2023 Thana- GORAU District- Vaishali

Sonu Kumar, Son of Arbind Ray @ Arbind Ray, Resident of Village -
Methurapur, P.S. - Maniyari, District - Muzaffarpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Hemant Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Shailendra Kumar, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR PANDEY
ORAL ORDER

3 29-01-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner has prayed for bail in connection
with Goraul P.S. Case No. 277 of 2023 registered for the offence
punishable under Section 394 of the Indian Penal Code.

3. The case of the prosecution is that on 25.06.2023,
the informant was returning after attending a wedding party
along with his cousin Alok Kumar on his bike. As he left for his
home in village Rohua, he found two men on a white coloured
Apache bike following him and signaling to stop. The informant
got scared as the road was deserted. He started running very fast
with bike. One of them fired two bullets at the informant which
hit his mobile phone which was in his pocket. After which, he
kept moving then another fire was made which hit his leg and



one of the bullet hit the right hand of his cousin. After this, he started driving the bike and started running towards Purvi lane and informed his family.

4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner has submitted that petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. He has been falsely implicated in this case. From perusal of the F.I.R. itself it is clear that the F.I.R. was lodged against unknown miscreants. From perusal of the impugned order, it is clear that name of this petitioner has surfaced in the confessional statement of co-accused Anvarat Ravi @ Vikku Kumar. Nothing has been recovered from his possession. His name has surfaced only on the confessional statement of co-accused Anvarat Ravi @ Vikku Kumar. Learned trial Court has refused his prayer of bail only on the ground that he is having criminal antecedent of six cases. He is languishing in judicial custody since 07.11.2023.

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

6. Having heard learned counsel for the parties and considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. The above named petitioner is directed to be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail



bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Rs. ten thousand only) with two sureties
of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned C.J.M.,
Vaishali at Hajipur in connection with Goraul P.S. Case No.277
of 2023.

(Ashok Kumar Pandey, J)

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