

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.1591 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-538 Year-2020 Thana- BIDUPUR District- Vaishali

Navin Kumar Singh @ Navin Kumar S/O Ratan Kumar Singh R/O Village-
Bhairampur Pakauli, P.S- Bidupur, Distt.- Vaishali at Hajipur (Bihar)

... .. Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Gudiya Kumari D/O Jiwresh Kumar Singh R/O Village- Mathurapur, P.S-
Bidupur, Distt.- Vaishali at Hajipur (Bihar).

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

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

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Shyam Bihari Singh, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

4 29-04-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the State.
Despite valid service of notice, nobody appears for opposite
party no.2.

2. Petitioner apprehends arrest in a case registered for
the offence punishable under sections 341, 323, 498A/34 of the
Indian Penal Code and sections 3 & 4 of the Dowry Prohibition
Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, petitioner was married to
opposite party no.2 in 2019. After sometime, family members
of husband of opposite party no.2 started demanding dowry of
a car and cash Rs. 5 lacs and on non-fulfilment of demand of
dowry, accused persons committed torture on opposite party
no.2.

4. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner while
denying the allegations, submits that the petitioner has falsely
been implicated in this case because he is husband of the
victim. A mutual divorce petition bearing Mutual Divorce Case
No. 481 of 2023, filed under section 13 of the Hindu Marriage



Act, has been allowed by the Principal Judge, Family Court, Vaishali at Hajipur vide order dated 15.12.2023 (annexure 4 to the bail petition).

5. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case as also the judgment of this Court, in the event of arrest or surrender within eight weeks from today, let this petitioner, as named above, be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/-(ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate/successor court, Vaishali at Hajipur in Bidupur Police Station Case No. 538 of 2020, subject to the conditions laid down under section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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