

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.9870 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-156 Year-2024 Thana- Patarghat District- Saharsa

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Ramanand Yadav @ Mojo Yadav S/O Late Chhedi Yadav Resident of
Narayanpur, P.S.- Purpari, Dist- Saharsa. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s :	Mr.Chandra Shekhar Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s :	Mr.Bharat Bhushan, APP
For the Informant :	Mr. Pramod Mishra, Advocate
	Mr. Prasoon Kumar, Advocate
	Mr. Sumit Kumar, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

2 12-02-2026 Heard learned counsel appearing on behalf of the

petitioner and learned APP appearing on behalf of the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with

Patarghat P.S. Case No. 156/2024 registered for the offences

under Sections 126(2), 115, 103(1), 61, 354, 351(2) and

3(5) of Bharatiya Nyay Sanhita and Sections 25(1-B), 26 and

27 of Arms Act.

3. The accused/petitioner is named in the F.I.R. and

is in custody since 06.09.2024.

4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the

petitioner submitted that this is the second successive bail

petition of the petitioner after rejection of earlier prayer of

bail through Cr. Misc. No. 5791 of 2025 vide its order dated



22.07.2025 on the sole ground that the prayer of regular bail of one of the similarly situated co-accused, namely, Ram Kumar Yadav was rejected by one of the learned co-ordinate Bench of this Court through Cr. Misc. No. 9559 of 2025 dated 18.04.2025. It is submitted that the bail prayer of said co-accused Ram Kumar Yadav on second consideration was allowed by one of the learned co-ordinate Bench of this Court through Cr. Misc. No. 86908 of 2025 dated 16.01.2026, considering the delay in trial as till 16.01.2026 only four witnesses were examined out of 12.

5. In view of aforesaid, as petitioner is in custody since 06.09.2024, where progress of trial suggest that same is not likely to conclude in near future, which appears in violation of fundamental right of the petitioner *qua* speedy trial in terms of Article 21 of the Constitution of India, accordingly, petitioner above named, is directed to be released on bail in connection with Patarghat P.S. Case No. 156/2024, on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned District and Additional Sessions



Judge-II, Saharsa/concerned Court, subject to the conditions
as mentioned under Section 437(3) of the Cr.P.C./Section
480(3) of BNSS.

(Chandra Shekhar Jha, J)

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