

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.18658 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-1932 Year-2023 Thana- GAYA COMPLAINT CASE District-
Gaya

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Vikram Chauhan Son of Nunu Chauhan @ Nunu Lal Resident of Village-
Chorvar, P.S. Kadirganj, District- Nawada

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Tetri Devi Wife of Vikaram Chauhan, D/O- Ramashray Chauhan Resident of
Village- Chorvar, P.S. Kadirganj, District- Nawada, At present Resident of
Village- Tausa Beldari, P.s.- Atri, Distt.- Gaya

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Man Mohan Kumar , Advocate

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

For OP No. 2 : Mr. Sanjeev Kumar , Advocate

Mr. Ritesh Kumar Narain singh, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

4 12-02-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, the
State and the opposite party no.2.

2. The petitioner, who is husband of opposite party
no.2, apprehends arrest in a case registered for the offence
punishable under sections 341 , 323 , 504, 307, 498 A and 34 of



IPC and 3/ 4 of the D. P Act.

3 . The prosecution case , in brief, is that marriage of the complainant was solemnized with this petitioner as per Hindu rites and rituals. It is alleged that after marriage , all the accused persons named in the F.I.R. including these petitioners, subjected the complainant to cruelty and harassment due to non-fulfillment of additional demand of dowry and later, ousted her from her matrimonial house .

4. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, while denying the allegations, submits that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case because he happens to be husband of opposite party no.2. Petitioner is ready to keep her with honour and safety. Besides this, petitioner is ready to give Rs. 3000/-per month to opposite party no.2 by way of temporary relief/solace, starting from this month, subject to any order passed in matrimonial, maintenance or connected proceedings.

5 . Learned counsel for the State as well as opposite party no.2 oppose the prayer for bail. Learned counsel for opposite party no.2 submits that the petitioner, being husband of opposite party no.2, in connivance with his family members, subjected her to harassment and cruelty for non-fulfillment of



demand of dowry and also ousted her to her parents' house . It is further submitted that she has no means of livelihood and is on the verge of starvation .

6. In view of the undertaking of learned counsel for the petitioner as well as condition of opposite party no.2, in the event of arrest/surrender within a period of eight weeks from today, let the petitioner, above-named, 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 the learned Judicial Magistrate, First Class-cum-Civil Judge, Gaya in connection with Complaint Case No. 1932 of 2023 , subject to the conditions laid down under section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure as well as on the following conditions:-

(i) Opposite party no.2. would file an affidavit before the court below and bring on record her saving bank account number for its communication to the petitioner.

(ii) Petitioner would deposit the aforesaid interim relief per month in the saving bank account of the opposite party no.2.

(iii) In case, petitioner fails to deposit the aforesaid amount of temporary relief/solace for two consecutive months,



the court below would be at liberty to cancel the bail-bond.

(iv) The aforementioned payment will be subject to any order passed in matrimonial, maintenance or connected proceedings. The present order, in no way, will preclude the parties to resolve the issue otherwise .

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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