

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.23812 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-147 Year-2023 Thana- KARJAIN District- Supaul

Shushil Yadav @ Shushil Kumar Son of Dinesh Yadav Resident of Village -
Baisi, Ward No. 14, Police Station - Karjain, District - Supaul

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ranjay Kumar Singh, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Ram Sumiran Rai, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 06-05-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

2. Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Karjain P. S. Case No. 147 of 2023 registered for the offences
punishable under Sections 379, 302/34 of the Indian Penal
Code.

3. As per F.I.R., on 3.10.2023 at about 9 PM, this
petitioner along with co-accused Sushila Devi assaulted the
sister of the informant with stick, strangled her to death and
looted household articles.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. Informant
is not an eye witness to the occurrence and petitioner has been
made accused in this case only on suspicion. Petitioner claims



clean antecedent and is in custody since 06.11.2025.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State vehemently opposed the bail application and submitted that petitioner is brother-in-law of the deceased and during investigation, minor daughter of the deceased, namely, Khushbu Kumar @ Rekha Kumari and husband of the deceased have supported the prosecution case. Doctor has opined cause of death as 'Cardio-respiratory failure due to asphyxia by strangulation'.

6. Considering the nature of accusation, gravity of the offence, statements of daughter and husband of the deceased and cause of death, prayer for regular bail of the petitioner is rejected.

7. However, since petitioner is in custody since 06.11.2025, Trial Court is directed to expedite and conclude the trial, preferably, within a period of one year from the date of receipt/production of copy of this order.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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