IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.35480 of 2026

CNR No. BRHC010483342026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-11 Year-2020 Thana- GOPALPUR District- Bhagalpur

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Pramod Mandal son of Late Yogendra Mandal Resident of Village- Sadhopur, PS- Gopalpur (Rangra O.P.), District- Bhagalpur, Bihar-853204.

... ... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... ... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :
For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Krishna Prasad Singh, Sr. Advocate
Mrs. Shashi Priya, Advocate
Mr. Shashank Shekhar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Chandra Bhushan Prasad, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PARTHA SARTHY

ORAL ORDER

6 30-10-2026 1. Heard learned counsel for the parties.

2. The petitioner has preferred this application for grant of regular bail in connection with Sessions Trial no.266 of 2020 (arising out of Gopalpur (Rangra O.P.) P.S. Case no.11 of 2020) registered under sections 302, 120B, 323, 341 and 34 of the Indian Penal Code and section 27 of the Arms Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, the petitioner is said to be the assailant of the deceased.

4. Learned Senior counsel for the petitioner submits that the prayer for bail of the petitioner was rejected twice on earlier occasion, the last being by an order dated 5.3.2024 passed in Cr. Misc. no.71182 of 2023. Inspite of the petitioner

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having remained in custody since 26.5.2020, the trial has still not concluded. As such, he be enlarged on bail.

5. The application for bail is opposed by learned A.P.P. for the State who submits that the petitioner is said to be the assailant of the deceased. As per the supplementary counter affidavit filed on behalf of the Superintendent of Police, Naugachia, all the prosecution witnesses including the doctor have been examined and the trial is near its conclusion.

6. Having heard learned counsel for the parties and taking into consideration the allegations against the petitioner of being the assailant of the deceased together with all the prosecution witnesses having been examined in the learned trial Court, the Court is not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail and the application is rejected.

7. Learned trial Court is directed to conclude the trial within a period of three months from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order.

(Partha Sarthy, J)

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