

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.40847 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-427 Year-2022 Thana- SIKARPUR District- West Champaran

Ganesh Mahto @ Dhanesh Mahto S/o Indar Mahto Resident of Village-
Sofwa Naya Tola, Ward No. 3, P.S.- Shikarpur, District - West Champaran at
Bettiah

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

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

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Ajay Kumar Jha, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

2 25-06-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP
for the State.

2. The accused-petitioner, not named in the F.I.R., is apprehending his arrest in connection with Shikarpur P.S. Case No. 427/2022 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 384, 386, 504, 506 of the I.P.C., pending in the court of learned C.J.M., West Champaran, Bettiah.

3. The present prayer of anticipatory bail stands rejected being not maintainable as the process under section 82 of the Cr.P.C. has already been initiated against this petitioner. Attention was drawn towards legal report of Hon'ble Supreme Court as available through **Srikant Upadhyay and Ors. Vs. State of Bihar and Ors. reported in 2024 SCC OnLine SC 282.**



4. Accordingly, prayer of anticipatory bail of the petitioner stands rejected.

5. If the petitioner surrenders before the learned trial court in connection with the present case and prays for regular bail, the learned trial court shall decide the prayer of regular bail of the petitioner within earliest possible time in accordance with law.

(Chandra Shekhar Jha, J)

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