

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.53167 of 2025**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-1 Year-2023 Thana- KASIMBAZAR District- Munger

Shankar Mahto @ Shankar Kumar S/o Late Shivam Mahto R/o Village-  
Khava (Chandra Tola), P.S.- Maidni Chowki, District- Lakhisarai

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Niranjan Parihar, Adv

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Surendra Prasad Singh, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR**  
**ORAL ORDER**

4      10-02-2026                      Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned  
APP for the State.

2. This is the second attempt on behalf of the petitioner for grant of bail in connection with Kasim Bazar P.S.Case No. 01 of 2023 registered for the offence punishable under Section 395 of the Indian Penal Code and 25(1-b) (a) 26 (i)(ii), 35 of the Arms Act.

3. Earlier the bail application of the petitioner has been rejected vide order dated 26.04.2024 passed in Cr. Misc. No.77545 of 2023, which reads as under:-

*Heard learned counsel for the  
petitioner and learned APP for the State.*

*2. The petitioner seeks bail in  
connection with Kasim Bazar P.S.Case  
No.01 of 2023 registered for the offence  
under section 395 of the Indian Penal*



*Code and section 25 (1-b) a, 26 (i) (ii), 35 of the Arms Act.*

*3. The petitioner is said to have committed dacoity in the house of the informant.*

*4. The involvement of the petitioner has been found during investigation and materials support that the petitioner was involved in committing the dacoity.*

*5. Learned APP has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail.*

*6. Since it is a dacoity committed in the town of Munger, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner for the present.*

*7. Accordingly, this application is dismissed.*

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the charge has been framed.

5. Considering the gravity of the offence , I am not inclined to review my earlier order.

6. Accordingly, the application stands dismissed.

7. The learned trial court below is directed to expedite the trial of the petitioner as early as possible.

8. The Superintendent of Police, Munger is directed to ensure the appearance of the witnesses in the trial so that the trial is not delayed.

9. Let a copy of this order be communicated to the



ADJ-IV, Munger and Superintendent of Police, Munger  
forthwith through FAX or e-mail for its compliance.

**(Sandeep Kumar, J)**

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