IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.81202 of 2026

CNR No. BRHC011122082026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-669 Year-2021 Thana- KUDHNI District- Muzaffarpur

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Dinesh Ram S/O Bhola Ram R/O Village- Kharauna Dih, P.S.- Kudhani, Distt.- Muzaffarpur.

... ... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... ... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :
For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Khushi Awadh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Shailendra Kumar, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR VERMA

ORAL ORDER

2 25-11-2026 Heard Mr.Khushi Awadh, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.Shailendra Kumar, learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail, who is in custody since 09.06.2026 in connection with Kudhani P.S. Case No. 669 of 2021, F.I.R. dated 01.09.2021 registered for the offence punishable under Sections 147,341,323,304B,201 and 379 of BNS,2023.

3. Allegation against the petitioner is that he alongwith other co-accused persons have in furtherance of their common intention committed the dowry death of the daughter of the informant.

4. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner

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submits that the petitioner has clean antecedent. He has falsely been implicated in the present occurrence merely on the ground that he is brother-in-law (Dewar)of the deceased. It appears from the FIR that there there is no specific allegation of any assault, overt-act or demand of dowry attributed against the petitioner rather there is general and omnibus allegation against all the accused persons including the petitioner. Co-accused persons, namely, Surendra Ram, cousin father-in-law, Sudhir Ram @ Sudhir Kumar, cousin-brother-in-law, Rina Devi, cousin sister-in-law, Bhola Ram, father-in-law and Kiran Devi, mother-in-law have been granted privilege of anticipatory bail/regular bail by different Coordinate Benches of this Hon'ble Court vide orders dated 18.07.2022, 18.04.2023 and 16.10.2023 passed in Cr. Misc. Nos.13186 of 2022, 9256 of 2023 and 20074 of 2023 respectively. Further submits that husband of the deceased, namely, Rajesh Ram has also been granted regular bail by a Coordinate Bench of this Hon'ble Court vide order dated 18.06.2025 passed in Cr. Misc. No.35921 of 2025 and the police, after investigation, submitted chargesheet against the petitioner and the petitioner is in custody since 09.06.2026.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

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6. Considering the aforesaid facts, petitioner has clean antecedent, there is no specific allegation of any assault, overt-act or demand of dowry attributed against the petitioner in the FIR and co-accused persons including the husband of the deceased have been granted privilege of anticipatory bail/regular bail by different Coordinate Benches of this Hon'ble Court, let the petitioner, above named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned A.C.J.M.-1st, West Muzaffarpur in connection with Kudhani P.S. Case No. 669 of 2021, with the following conditions:-

(I) Petitioner shall co-operate in the trial and shall be properly represented on each and every date fixed by the Court and shall remain physically present as directed by the Court and on his/her absence on two consecutive dates without sufficient reason, his/her bail bond shall be cancelled by the Court below.

(II) If the petitioner tampers with the evidence or the witnesses, in that case, the prosecution will be at liberty to move for cancellation of bail.

(III) And, further condition that the court below shall verify the criminal antecedent of the petitioner and in case at

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any stage, it is found that the petitioner has concealed his criminal antecedent, the court below shall take step for cancellation of bail bond of the petitioner. However, the acceptance of bail bonds in terms of the above-mentioned order shall not be delayed for purpose of or in the name of verification.

(Rajesh Kumar Verma, J)

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