

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.89719 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-762 Year-2023 Thana- NARPATGANJ District- Araria

Manish Kumar @ Raja Yadav @ Manish Kumar Raja, S/O Santosh Yadav,
Resident of Village- Nathpur, Police Station- Narpatganj, District- Araria.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Mukesh Kumar Rana, Advocate

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

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR PANDEY
ORAL ORDER

2 30-01-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2.The instant application for anticipatory bail has been
filed by the petitioner apprehending his arrest in connection
with Narpatganj P.S. Case No. 762 of 2023 instituted for the
offence under Section 392 of the Indian Penal Code.

3. The case of the prosecution, in short, is that the
informant is Assistant Manger of I.C.I.C.I. Bank, Araria. On the
date of occurrence, he was going to village Mirdaul on his bike
and he was carrying a bag which contain cash and certain
documents. It is alleged that three persons on a bike surrounded
him and on gun point, snatched his bag and mobile. The bag
contained ATM Card, Pan Card, Aadhar Card and other
documents and cash of Rs. 1,000/-.



4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner has submitted that petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. He has falsely been implicated in this case. The F.I.R. was lodged against unknown miscreants. During the course of investigation, one Vikash Kumar was apprehended and he has given his confessional statement. The name of this petitioner has surfaced in the confessional of co-accused Vikash Kumar. It has further been submitted that nothing has been recovered from the possession of this petitioner. He is having no criminal antecedent. It has also been submitted that similarly situated co-accused person has been granted anticipatory bail by this Court vide Cr. Misc.No. 82751 of 2024. The case of this petitioner stands on similar footing.

5.Learned APP appearing for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer of bail of the petitioner.

6. Having heard learned counsel for the parties and in the facts and circumstances of the case as stated above, this Court is inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. The petitioner is directed to surrender in the Court below within a period of four weeks from today and in the event of his arrest or surrender in connection with Narpatganj P.S. Case No. 762 of 2023, he will be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/-



(Rupees ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Judicial Magistrate- 1st Class, Araria, subject to the conditions as laid down under section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

(Ashok Kumar Pandey, J)

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