

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.3834 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-129 Year-2024 Thana- RAIL HAJIPUR District- Vaishali

Lakhindra Sahni Son of Jaglal Sahni R/o Mohalla - Nakhas Chowk, P.S.-
Hajipur Town, District - Vaishali

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

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

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Akbar Ali, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH
MISHRA**

ORAL ORDER

3 11-03-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP
for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Hajipur
Rail P.S. Case No. 129 of 2024 instituted for the offences under
Sections 8/20(b)(ii)/20(c)/22(c) of the N.D.P.S. Act.

3. Earlier vide order dated 22.07.2025 passed in Cr.
Misc. No. 44817 of 2025, regular bail of the petitioner was
rejected by this Court considering the recovery of the
contraband beyond the commercial quantity.

4. In compliance of the order dated 28.01.2026 a report
dated 16.02.2026 with regard to the present stage of trial has
been received. From perusal of the aforesaid report, it appears
that charges have been framed and summons have been issued



to witnesses for their examination but none of them have been examined till date.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is languishing in judicial custody since 05.10.2024 without any rhymes or reason.

6. Learned APP for the State opposes the prayer for grant of bail.

7. There is no fresh ground to consider the bail petition of the petitioner. From the aforesaid report, it appears that the trial is going on.

8. In view of the above, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is again rejected with a direction to the learned court below to expedite the trial and conclude the same as expeditiously as possible without any undue delay and unnecessary adjournment.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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