

1. Mithun Kumar Yadav @ Mithun Yadav, aged about 32 years, S/o- Late Gita Yadav.....Petitioner

Vs

State of Bihar.....Opposite Party

ORDER

30.06.2026. An application for grant of anticipatory bail filed on behalf of above named petitioner namely **Mithun Kumar Yadav @ Mithun Yadav**, who is apprehending his arrest in connection with Bhagalpur Mahila P.S. Case No. 15/2024, relating to the offences punishable u/Ss 498(A), 341, 323, 504, 506 of the I.P.C. pending before the learned Court of A.C.J.M.-IX, Bhagalpur, is put up for hearing.

Heard Mr. Rajeev Ranjan Raja, learned counsel for the petitioner as well as **Mr. Bindeshwari Lal Yadav**, learned Addl. P.P. for the State assisted with Mr. Ronit Kumar Raj, learned counsel for the informant.

The prosecution story, in short, is that informant married Mithun Yadav on 28.11.2019 and after fifteen days of marriage accused petitioner Mithun Yadav went to Bangalore to work there leaving his wife (informant) at her paternal home. It is alleged that thereafter the accused petitioner neither talked with her nor took her back and started demanding cash Rs. 3 lakhs as well as a motorcycle as a condition to keep her with him. It is further alleged that when informant reached at her matrimonial home on 13.12.2023, she was assaulted by her in-laws and other family members including her husband and was dragged out but finally entered into her home with the intervention of villagers. It is alleged that in-laws kept on abusing and torturing the informant and petitioner's younger brother also attempted to molest her and tried to establish physical relationship with her and on protest, they attempted to set her on fire.

Learned counsel for the petitioner, apart from taking the pleas of innocence and false implications, submitted that informant wants partition of the land belonging to petitioner's mother and has lodged this case in order to put pressure. He further submitted that due to poor economic condition of informant no demand was ever made. According to learned Counsel, the investigation of this case is already complete and I.O. has submitted chargesheet against accused petitioner after giving him notice u/S 41 (1) of the Cr.P.C. and prayed to extend the privileges of anticipatory bail on the ground of clean criminal antecedent.

On the other hand, learned Addl. P.P. assisted with learned counsel for the informant prays for passing of suitable order in the light of settlement arrived at between the parties.

Heard both sides and perused the case record. The accused petitioner happens to be the husband of the informant and he alongwith others are named in the F.I.R. and carry

allegation of committing cruelty and demand of dowry. During the course of hearing of this Anticipatory Bail Petition this Court, in order to explore the possibility of settlement of dispute between the parties, sent both the parties to the Mediation Center whose report is available on record and the mediation proved successful. Today informant and accused petitioner are physically present before the Court and they admit about settlement of dispute and prevailing of good sense upon them. Accused petitioner (husband) undertakes that he will take his wife to Bangalore to which informant readily agreed. An undertaking to keep the wife with dignity and honour also came to be filed on behalf of the accused petitioner and another undertaking to give due respect to petitioner and his parents came to be filed on behalf of the informant. Record reveals that investigation of this case is already complete and the I.O., after giving notice to the petitioner u/S 41 of the Cr.P.C., has already submitted chargesheet. Therefore, taking into account the settlement of dispute between the parties and undertakings filed on behalf of petitioner as well as informant, this court is inclined to extend the privileges of anticipatory bail to the accused petitioner.

Hence, the prayer for grant of anticipatory bail made on behalf of the accused petitioner namely **Mithun Kumar Yadav @ Mithun Yadav** is hereby **allowed**. It is hereby directed that in the event of arrest or surrender before the learned Court concerned within 21 days from the receipt of a copy of this order, this petitioner shall be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of **Rs.10,000/-(Ten thousand rupees only)** with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Court concerned.

Dictated

Sd/-

(Prabhat Krishna)
IVth Addl. Sessions Judge
Bhagalpur

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