

IN THE COURT OF SESSIONS JUDGE, PATNA

Anticipatory Bail Petition No. 719 of 2026.

Sujit Kumar @ Pandit

..... **Petitioner.**

Versus

The State of Bihar

**Order
No.**

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- 1.** The **petitioner, Sujit Kumar @ Pandit**, seeks anticipatory bail in connection with **Patrakar Nagar P.S. Case No. 04 of 2024**, registered under Section 379 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (IPC).
- 2.** Heard Sri Rajesh Shankar, learned counsel for the petitioner and Sri Rajesh Kumar, learned Public Prosecutor for the State.
- 3.** The prosecution case, in brief, is that the informant, Vipin Kumar, has been residing with his family as a tenant in the house of Krishna Dev Pathak, V-531-A, PIT Colony, Kankarbagh, Patna, for the past ten years. On 05.01.2024, at about 7:45 PM, his motorcycle bearing Registration No. BR-01 CQ 6640, which was parked inside the grill, was stolen by an unknown person. Despite extensive search, the vehicle could not be traced.
- 4.** Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the only non-bailable offence alleged against the petitioner is under Section 379 IPC, which carries a maximum punishment of three years' imprisonment and is triable by a Magistrate. It is further submitted that the FIR was lodged against unknown persons for theft of the said motorcycle. Learned counsel candidly admits that the petitioner has three prior criminal antecedents: (i) Ram Krishna Nagar P.S. Case No. 33/2024 under Section 379 IPC, in which two motorcycles were recovered, one being the subject matter of the present case, recovered from another accused, and another allegedly stolen motorcycle recovered from the petitioner; (ii) Gopalpur P.S. Case No. 258/2018 under Section 307 IPC; and (iii) Ram Krishna Nagar P.S. Case No. 10/2024 under Section 307 IPC.
- 5.** Learned Public Prosecutor opposes the prayer for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner. It is submitted that the petitioner is

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involved in crime committed in an organized manner. Also, the petitioner has three criminal antecedents as stated in para 3 of the anticipatory bail appreciation. Moreover, the investigation is going on and charge sheet is yet to be submitted.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case; that stolen motorcycles has been recovered from the petitioner and other co-accused persons; petitioner is involved in crime committed in an organized manner; the petitioner has three criminal antecedents; and investigation is going on and charge sheet is yet to be submitted, I am not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the above named petitioner. Accordingly, his prayer for anticipatory bail is hereby ***rejected***.

(Dictated)

Sd/-

(Rupesh Deo)

Sessions Judge, Patna

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