

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No. 1484/2000
(From the judgement and order dated 06/01/2000 in IA 1725/99
of The HIGH COURT OF PATNA)

BINOD YADAV & ANR.

Petitioner (s)

VERSUS

STATE OF BIHAR
(With Appln(s). for bail)
(With Office Report)

Respondent (s)

Date : 24/11/2000 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G.B. PATTANAIAK
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE U.C. BANERJEE

For Petitioner (s)

Mr. Rajeev Sharma,Adv.

For Respondent (s)

Ms. Sunita R.Singh,Adv. and
Mr. B.B. Singh,Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
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The two applicants, who have been convicted under section 302/34 IPC, prayed for being released on bail while their criminal appeal is pending before the High Court. The High Court did not think it proper to release them on bail. They are in custody for more than 6 years. The learned Chief Justice has directed the appeal be heard in its own time. PW.9 is the sole witness. On the basis of the evidence, the learned Trial Judge has convicted the accused. In these circumstances, having heard the learned counsel for the applicants and Mr. B.B. Singh, we direct that the applicants be released on bail to the satisfaction of the Judicial Magistrate, Khagaria.

The SLP is disposed of accordingly.

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