

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

CrI.M.P. No. 12946 of 2009 In

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (CrI) No(s).5652/2009

(From the judgement and order dated 16/07/2009 in CRLM No. 17476/2009 of The HIGH COURT OF PATNA)

SATYENDRA KUMAR Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF BIHAR Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for bail and office report)

Date: 16/09/2009 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ALTAMAS KABIR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE CYRIAC JOSEPH
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R.M. LODHA

For Petitioner(s)

Mr. Amit Pawan,Adv.

For Respondent(s)

Mr.Gopal Singh,Adv.
Mr.Chandan Kumar,Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

Leave granted.

The appeal is allowed in terms of the signed order.

(Kusum Syal)
Sr.P.A

(Juginder Kaur)
Court Master

(Signed order is placed on the file)

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS PETITION NO.12946 OF 2009
in
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.1799 OF 2009
(arising out of SLP(CrI.) No.5652 of 2009)

SATYENDRA KUMAR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF BIHAR

Respondent(s)

O R D E R

Leave granted.

This appeal is directed against the order dated 16.7.2009 passed by the Patna High Court in Criminal Misc. No. 17476 of 2009 rejecting the appellant's prayer for grant of bail in connection with Special Case No.15 of 2009 (Vigilance P.S. Case No.21 of 2009) under Section 7, 13(2) read with Section 13(1)(d) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.

The appellant was arrested in connection with the case on 17.3.2009 and charge sheet was filed on 15.5.2009 but we are informed by counsel that till date no further steps have been taken in the matter and charges have not yet been framed.

Having heard learned counsel for the respective parties, we are inclined to allow the appeal. Accordingly, we set aside the order passed by the High Court impugned in this appeal and direct

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that the appellant be released on bail to the satisfaction of the trial court.

.....J
(ALTAMAS KABIR)

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(CYRIAC JOSEPH)

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(R.M. LODHA)