

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
A.B.A. No. 9077 of 2023

Rajesh Singh ... Petitioner
Versus
The State of Jharkhand ... Opposite Party

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR CHOUDHARY

For the Petitioner : Mr. Amritansh Vats, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Fahad Allam, Addl. P.P.

Order No.02 Dated- 31.10.2023

Heard the parties.

Apprehending his arrest, the petitioner has moved this Court for grant of privilege of anticipatory bail in connection with Mihijam P.S. Case No.44 of 2023 registered under sections 420/406/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

The Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the allegation against the petitioner is that the petitioner was the guarantor in a private loan taken by the co-accused - Arghendu Bedi and Manjuri Bedi- who took a loan of Rs.3,00,000/- from the informant. It is further submitted that the allegations against the petitioner are all false and there is no allegation of entrustment of any money to the petitioner. It is then submitted that there is no allegation that the petitioner had any intention to deceive the informant at the time of alleged entrustment of money to the co-accused persons. It is next submitted that the dispute between the parties is basically a civil dispute. It is then submitted that the petitioner undertakes to cooperate with the investigation of the case. Hence, it is submitted that the petitioner be given the privilege of anticipatory bail.

Learned Addl. P.P. opposes the prayer for grant of anticipatory bail.

Considering the submissions of the counsels and the fact as discussed above, I am of the opinion that it is a fit case where the above named petitioner be given the privilege of anticipatory bail. Hence, in the event of his arrest or surrender within a period of six

weeks from the date of this order, he shall be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned S.D.J.M., Jamtara, in connection with Mihijam P.S. Case No.44 of 2023 with the condition that the petitioner will cooperate with the investigation of the case and appear before the Investigating Officer as and when noticed by him and will furnish his mobile number and a copy of his Aadhar Card in the court below with the undertaking that he will not change his mobile number during the pendency of the case subject to the conditions laid down under section 438 (2) Cr. P.C.

(Anil Kumar Choudhary, J.)

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