Court No. - 68

Case: - CRIMINAL MISC ANTICIPATORY BAIL APPLICATION U/S 438 CR.P.C. No. - 5382 of 2020

Applicant :- Mangala Prasad **Opposite Party :-** State of U.P. **Counsel for Applicant :-** Manoj Kumar Mishra **Counsel for Opposite Party :-** G.A.

Hon'ble Siddhartha Varma, J.

Heard learned counsel for the applicant and learned Additional Government Advocate for the State and perused the records.

The applicant is seeking anticipatory bail in connection with Case Crime No.- 104 of 2020, under Sections 147, 148, 149, 323, 504, 506, 336, 307 IPC, Police Station - Phoolpur, District - Varanasi.

It is the contention of the learned counsel for the applicant that the applicant is innocent and was not involved in the crime as has been alleged in the First Information Report. The coaccused Shiva, Rinku and Sadhel have been granted bail in Bail Application Nos 3991 of 2020 and 4056 of 2020 respectively. The applicant has no criminal history and, therefore, he is entitled for protection from this Court.

Learned Additional Government Advocate has opposed the prayer for anticipatory bail but he did not dispute the fact that the co-accused have already been granted relief by the Court below.

Considering the overall facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is of the opinion that the applicant deserves to be granted anticipatory bail in connection with the aforesaid case.

Accordingly, the anticipatory bail application is **disposed of** with following directions:-

(A) In the event of arrest of the applicant involved in aforesaid

case shall be released on anticipatory bail till the submission of

police report, if any, under section 173(2) Cr.P.C. before the

competent Court on her furnishing a personal bond of

Rs.50,000/- with two sureties each of the like amount to the

satisfaction of the Station House Officer of the police station

concerned:

(B) The applicant shall co-operate with the Investigating

Officer during investigation and shall report to the Investigating

Officer as and when required for the purpose of conducting

investigation;

(C) The applicant shall not, directly or indirectly, make any

inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the

facts of the case so as to dissuade them from disclosing such

facts to the Court or to any police officer; and

(D) The applicant shall not leave India without the previous

permission of the Court.

In default or misuse of any of the conditions, the Public

Prosecutor/ Investigating Officer/ first informant-complainant is

at liberty to file appropriate application for cancellation of

anticipatory bail granted to the applicant.

Order Date :- 3.9.2020

Siddhant