

Kapil Saini vs State Of U.P. on 2 January, 2025

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HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD

?Neutral Citation No. - 2025:AHC:66

Court No. - 68

Case :- CRIMINAL MISC. BAIL APPLICATION No. - 42201 of 2024

Applicant :- Kapil Saini

Opposite Party :- State of U.P.

Counsel for Applicant :- Aishwarya Pratap Singh

Counsel for Opposite Party :- G.A.

Hon'ble Ashutosh Srivastava,J.

Heard learned counsel for the applicant, Shri D.P.S. Chauhan, learned AGA for the State-respondents and perused the record.

This bail application under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 has been moved on behalf of accused-applicant, Kapil Saini, seeking enlargement on bail in Case Crime No. 384 of 2024, under Sections 191 (2), 191 (3), 131, 115 (2), 109, 351 (2) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023, Police Station Jhagirabad, District Bulandshahar.

Learned counsel for the applicant argued that the accused-applicant is innocent. He has been falsely implicated in this very case crime number and is languishing in jail since 19.9.2024. He has no criminal antecedent and there is no likelihood of his fleeing from course of justice or tampering with

evidence in case of release on bail. Learned counsel for the applicant submits that there is two days delay in lodging the FIR. The applicant was not named in the FIR. After six days, in the confessional statement of co-accused, name of applicant has surfaced on record. The general role has been assigned to the applicant. Learned counsel for the applicant submits that co-accused Dushyant Saini has already been enlarged on bail by co-ordinate Bench of this Court on 6.11.2024 in Criminal Misc. Bail Application No. 37397 of 2024. Hence, bail has been prayed for.

Learned AGA has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail.

Considering all above facts and circumstances, the nature of accusations, severity of the punishment in the case of conviction and nature of supporting evidence, reasonable apprehension of tampering with the witness and prima facie case, but without commenting on merit of case, a case for bail is made out.

Accordingly, the bail application is allowed.

Let the accused-applicant, Kapil Saini, involved in above mentioned case crime number be released on bail, on his executing a personal bond and two reliable sureties each, in the like amount to the satisfaction of the court concerned, subject to the following conditions:

1. The applicant will not tamper with the evidence.
2. The applicant will not indulge in any criminal activity.
3. The applicant will not pressurize/intimidate the prosecution witnesses and co-operate in the trial.
4. The applicant will appear regularly on each and every date fixed by the trial court, unless his personal appearance is exempted through counsel by the court concerned.

In the event of breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the court below will be at liberty to proceed to cancel his bail.

Order Date :- 2.1.2025 Ravi Prakash (Ashutosh Srivastava, J.)