Md. Tarique Anwar vs The State Of Bihar on 17 January, 2020

Bench: Deepak Gupta, Aniruddha Bose

ITEM NO.35 COURT NO.15 SECTION II-A

SUPREMECOURTOF

INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.)

No(s). 11119

Petitioner(s

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(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 15-10-2019 in CRASJ No. 1035/2019 passed by the High Court Of Judicature At Patna)

MD. TARIQUE ANWAR

VERSUS

THE STATE OF BIHAR Respondent(s

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R.)

Date: 17-01-2020 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIRUDDHA BOSE

For Petitioner(s) Ms. Shahrukh Alam, Adv.

> Ms. Liz Mathew, AOR Mr. Navneet R., Adv. Ms. Sonali Jain, Adv. Shantanu Singh, Adv. Mr.

For Respondent(s)

Mr. Samir Ali Khan, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following ORDER

Though the allegations raised against the petitioner are of having committed rape, the fact is that he and the complainant have got married and have a child together. Provisional bail was granted to the petitioner in September, 2005. However, later the petitioner was convicted under Section 376 of the IPC and his appeal is pending before the Patna High Court.

In view of the fact that the petitioner was on bail during the trial and also the fact that the petitioner had got married to the prosecutrix, we deem it fit in the peculiar facts and circumstances of the case to suspend the sentence and the petitioner may be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds in the sum of Rs.10,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the Trial Court.

Ordered accordingly.

The SLP is disposed of accordingly.

Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

(SUMAN WADHWA) AR CUM PS (PRADEEP KUMAR)
BRANCH OFFICER