

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**Criminal Miscellaneous No. 50314 of 2014**

Arising out of P.S. Case No. -null Year- null Thana -null  
District- PATNA

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Mithilesh Mahto @ Mithlesh Prasad son of Pitamber Mahto, resident  
of village and post office- Mahbatpur, P.S.- Barh, District- Patna  
.... .... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar.
  2. Bibha Devi, wife of Mithilesh Prasad, Daughter of Sri Ram  
Lakhan Prasad, resident of village and post office- Mahbatpur,  
P.S.- Barh, District- Patna. .... .... Opposite Party/s
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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Santosh Kumar, Adv.  
For the Opposite Party/s: Mr. APP.

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE JUSTICE SMT. ANJANA PRAKASH**  
ORAL JUDGMENT  
**Date: 08-03-2016**

The Petitioner seeks quashing of the order dated  
09.05.2014 passed by the Principal Judge, Family Court,  
Patna by which it has directed the Petitioner to pay ad-interim  
maintenance of Rs. 1,200/- per month to the Opposite Party  
No. 2 in Matrimonial Case No. 96 of 2012.

Considering that the impugned order is merely one  
of ad-interim maintenance, I see no reason for interference  
and, hence, the application stands dismissed.

The Court below is directed to conclude the  
proceeding positively within a period of four months from the  
date of receipt of this order without granting unnecessary  
adjournment to any party if he has not done so already.

**(Anjana Prakash, J.)**

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