

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No. 46244 of 2019**

Arising Out of PS Case No.-162 Year-2019 Thana- HARNAUT District- Nalanda

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Vikash Kumar, aged about 20 years, Male, Son of Rajkumar Prasad @  
Rajkumar Yadav, Resident of Village- Sabnahuadih, P.S.- Harnaut, District-  
Nalanda.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance :**

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| For the Petitioner/s       | : | Mr. Abdul Mannan Khan and<br>Mr. Anil Chandra, Advocates |
| For the Opposite Party/s : |   | Mr. Ram Suhawan Singh, Advocate                          |
| For the State              | : | Mr. Ravindra Kumar, APP                                  |

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE AHSANUDDIN  
AMANULLAH**

**ORAL JUDGMENT**

**Date : 11-12-2019**

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner; learned APP  
for the State and learned counsel for the informant, who has *suo*  
*motu* appeared.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Harnaut  
PS Case No. 162 of 2019 dated 27.04.2019 instituted under  
Section 366(A) of the Indian Penal Code.

3. The allegation against the petitioner is of abducting  
the minor daughter of the informant.



4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the age of the girl is 16-17 years, as has been assessed by the medical team and basically it is a situation of love affairs between the parties. It was submitted that the mother and brother of the girl went to Delhi along with the police and she was brought back home and the petitioner was also arrested. It was submitted that in her statement before the Court under Section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, she has clearly stated that she had gone with the petitioner on her own free will and was also sight-seeing in Delhi and that the petitioner had not established any physical relationship with her. Learned counsel submitted that the boy is also aged about 20 years and, thus, clearly it is not a case of any forced abduction. It was submitted that the petitioner is in custody since 22.06.2019.

5. Learned APP and learned counsel for the informant, from the case diary, submitted that the girl was a minor and the petitioner had abducted her.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and submissions of learned counsel for the parties, let the petitioner be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 25,000/- (Twenty Five thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Chief Judicial



Magistrate, Nalanda at Bihar Sharif in Harnaut P.S. Case No. 162  
of 2019.

7. The application stands disposed off.

**(Ahsanuddin Amanullah, J.)**

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