

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.49665 of 2019**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-216 Year-2018 Thana- WEST CHAMPARAN COMPLAINT  
District- West Champaran

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Sanoj Ram Son of Late Shyamdeo Sah, Resident of Village- Shekhwa  
Basantpur, P.S.- Mainatand, District- West Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State Of Bihar
2. Bharti Devi Wife of Sanoj Ram, daughter of Sri Doma Ram, Resident of Village- Ambedkar Nagar, Ward No. 5, P.S.- Shikarpur, District- West Champaran.

... .. Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Umesh Chandra Verma  
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Rajesh Kumar

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH**  
**ORAL ORDER**

5      25-02-2020                      Heard learned counsel for the parties.

The petitioner, husband of opposite party no. 2, apprehends his arrest in Complaint Case No. 216C of 2018 registered for the offence under Section 498(A) of the Indian Penal Code.

The allegation against the petitioner is of torture and assault due to non-fulfilment of demand of dowry and ultimately, the complainant was ousted from her matrimonial home.

Earlier, vide order dated 16.11.2019, the matter was sent to Mediation Centre for settlement of dispute between the parties and on perusal of Mediator's report dated 13.12.2019



(Flag ‘M’), it appears that the mediation has failed.

In view of the facts, as stated above, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on anticipatory bail. Accordingly, the prayer for anticipatory bail stands rejected.

**(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)**

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