

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA  
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.65500 of 2019**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-231 Year-2018 Thana- BAUNSI District- Banka

SANTOSH @ SANTOSH MANDAL Son of Sundar Mandal Resident of  
Village-Porany, P.S.-Bounsi, District-Banka.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Brij Nandan Prasad

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Anita Kumari Singh

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH  
ORAL ORDER**

3      04-03-2020                      Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the  
learned A.P.P. for the State.

This is an application for grant of anticipatory bail  
in connection with Bounsi PS case no. 231 of 2018 registered  
for the offences punishable under Sections 341, 323, 327, 452,  
354(B), 379, 376/511 of Indian Penal Code.

The allegation is regarding the accused persons  
having engaged in assaulting the prosecution party and having  
tried to outrage the modesty of the female members and as far as  
the petitioner is concerned, he is stated to have arrived at the  
house of the informant, one night prior to the alleged date of  
incident and is stated to have tried to outrage the modesty of the  
wife of the informant.

The learned counsel for the petitioner has



submitted that the petitioner is innocent, has been falsely implicated in the present case and is having a clean antecedent. It is further submitted that a bare perusal of the FIR would bear it out that the allegations are ornamental in nature and have been cooked up in order to falsely implicate the petitioner herein.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, considering submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and taking into account the materials available in the case diary, this Court deems it fit and appropriate to admit the petitioner to the privilege of anticipatory bail. Accordingly, the abovenamed petitioner, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the court below within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt/ production of a copy of this order, is directed to be released on anticipatory bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Rs. Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Judicial Magistrate-2nd class, Banka in connection with Bounsi PS case no. 231 of 2018 subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of Code of Criminal Procedure.

**(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)**

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