

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
(FROM RESIDENTIAL OFFICE VIA VIDEO APPLICATION)
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.44471 of 2021**

**In
CRIMINAL APPEAL (SJ) No.2146 of 2020**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-56 Year-2020 Thana- SIKTA District- West Champaran

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1. Mukesh Sah, aged about 23 years, Male,
 2. Vikash Sah @ Vikesh Sah, aged about 21 years,
Both are S/o Laxman sah @ Lachhuman Sah, R/o Village - Mangalpur, P.S. -
Sikta, District - West Champaran.

... .. Petitioners

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Bimlesh Kumar Pandey, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Sadanand Paswan, Special P.P.

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJEEV RANJAN PRASAD
ORAL ORDER**

2 18-02-2022 Heard Mr. Bimlesh Kumar Pandey, learned counsel for

the petitioners and Mr. Sadanand Paswan, learned Special Public

Prosecutor for the State.

The two petitioners before this court are seeking
extension of time to surrender and submit their respective bail
bonds in terms of the order dated 17.04.2021 passed by learned
predecessor Bench of this court in Cr. Appeal (SJ) No. 2146/2020.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that they
were granted privilege of anticipatory bail and as per direction of
this court they had to surrender at least within a maximum period
of eight weeks and furnish their bail bond but they failed to do it.
A plea has been taken that due to non-participation of the
Advocates in the court proceedings, under compelling



circumstances the petitioners could not furnish their bail bond within the prescribed time.

This petition was filed before this court sometime in the month of July, 2021 and has been taken up for consideration today.

Considering that the application was filed on behalf of the petitioners immediately after expiry of eight weeks period from 17.04.2021 and this application has remained pending before this court for about seven months, learned Special Public Prosecutor for the State has also not objected to the prayer for extension of time.

In the given circumstance, in the interest of justice, this court is extending the period. If the petitioners surrender and submit their bail bonds within two weeks from the date of communication of this order, the learned court below shall accept the same in terms of the order dated 17.04.2021 passed in Cr. Appeal (SJ) No. 2146/2020.

This application stands disposed of accordingly.

(Rajeev Ranjan Prasad, J.)

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Note: The ordersheet duly signed has been attached with the record. However, in view of the present arrangements, during Pandemic period all concerned shall act on the basis of the copy of the order uploaded on the High Court website under the heading 'Judicial Orders Passed During The Pandemic Period'.

