

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.15838 of 2014

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Soni Kumari Daughter of Nakul Bhagat @ Nakul Jaiswal resident of Village -
Chauda, Police Station - Chaurasa, District - Madhepura.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. The Chief Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The District Magistrate, Madhepura.
4. The Superintendent of Police, Madhepura.
5. Dev Raj Dev son of Ramchandra Bhagat resident of Village - Sonarpatti,
Police Station - Banmankhi, District - Purnea.
6. Pritam Chaudhary Wife of Dev Raj Dev resident of Village - Navratan Hat,
Police Station - Khajanchi Hat, District - Purnea.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Shankar Kumar Thakur, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Anjani Kumar, AAG-6

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 28-02-2023 The present writ petition has been filed
seeking the following relief:-

*“For direction to the respondent nos. 2 to
4 not to encroach upon or interfere with
the life and personal liberty of the
petitioner in the garb of her marriage with
respondent no. 5 on false and fictitious
pretext as the same is antithesis to Article
21 of the Constitution of India.”*

At the outset, reference has been made
to paragraph no. 10 of the counter affidavit



filed by the Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Udakishunganj, District-Madhepura, wherein it has been stated that a complaint case bearing Complaint Case No. 1781 of 2014, under Section 494 of the Indian Penal Code has been filed by the private respondent no. 6 against the petitioner on the allegation that the petitioner has performed second marriage with the respondent no. 5 on 11.05.2014, during the subsistence of marriage, in between the respondents no. 5 and 6.

In view of the aforesaid, the learned counsel for the petitioner seeks liberty on behalf of the petitioner to avail such other alternative remedies as are otherwise available under the law.

Liberty so sought is granted.

The writ petition stands disposed off as not pressed.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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