

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.18896 of 2024**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-64 Year-2023 Thana- SONBERSA District- Sitamarhi

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1. Raju Kumar @ Raju Mandal S/o- Lochan Mandal Village- Dostiya Ps- Sonbarsa Dist- Sitamarhi
  2. Shatrudhan Mandal @ Shatrudhan Kumar son of Shivchandra Mandal Village- Dostiya Ps- Sonbarsa Dist- Sitamarhi

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ashok Kumar Jha, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Ganesh Prasad Singh, A.P.P.

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

3      25-06-2024                      Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned  
A.P.P. for the State.

2. Petitioners apprehend arrest in case registered for the offences punishable under Sections 341, 323, 379, 504, 506, 363, 366A, 354D/34 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 8 and 10 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act.

3. Allegation against the petitioners is of kidnapping minor daughter of the informant. They took her away on the pretext of withdrawing money of dress from the bank sanctioned by the Government. Victim in her statement, recorded under Section 164 of the Cr.P.C., has supported the prosecution case and has categorically stated that these petitioners committed rape with her.



4. In view of the gravity of the offence and statement of the victim recorded under Section 164 Cr.P.C., prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioners is refused.

**(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)**

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