

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.28378 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-509 Year-2023 Thana- RIGA District- Sitamarhi

1. Ajay Kumar Son of Late Deo Narayan Singh Resident of Village- Kusahi,
P.S.- Bithan, Dist.- Samastipur
2. Nishesh Kumar Singh @ Nishesh Kumar Son of Biresh Prasad Singh @
Brajesh Prasad Singh @ Viresh Prasad Singh Resident of Village- Rampur
Barahi, Police Station- Riga, Dist.- Sitamarhi

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Karandeep Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Parmanand Kumar, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA

ORAL ORDER

2 14-05-2024 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioners as well as
learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioners seek bail in anticipation of their
arrest in a case registered for the offences punishable under
Sections 323, 341, 354, 379, 504, 506 and 34 of the Indian
Penal Code in connection with Riga P.S. Case No.509 of 2023.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners submit that
petitioner no.1 has antecedent of one case which was instituted
by the instant informant and petitioner no.2 is a person with
clean antecedent.



4. It is next submitted that petitioner no.1 is a junior engineer posted with the electricity department and petitioner no.2 is an employee of the electricity department. It is next submitted that since the husband of the informant was indulging in committing theft of electricity as such Riga P.S. Case No.36 of 2023 was instituted under Section 135 of the Electricity Supply Act, 2003 against the husband with an allegation that on account of theft committed by him electricity department was put to loss of Rs.47,700/-. It is submitted that the informant in order to coerce the petitioner into submission instituted the instant FIR with an allegation that the accused persons including the petitioner came to her house in absence of her husband and started uprooting the electricity meter and when same was objected she was assaulted.

5. The learned APP opposes the anticipatory bail application.

6. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioners, the petitioners above-named, in the event of their arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of six weeks, are directed to be released on anticipatory bail on their furnishing bail-bonds in the sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like



amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Additional Chief
Judicial Magistrate, Sitamarhi in connection with Riga P.S. Case
No.509 of 2023., subject to the conditions laid down under
Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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