

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.18302 of 2025**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-160 Year-2024 Thana- TIKAPATTI District- Purnia

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Ankit Kumar S/O Chhote Lal Mandal Resident Of Village- Tintanga,  
Navtolia, P.S.- Tikapatti, Dist.- Purnea.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State Of Bihar Bihar
2. Babli Devi W/O Sunil Sharma Resident Of Village- Tintanga, P.O.- Godia,  
P.S.- Tikapatti, Dist.- Purnea.

... .. Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Amaresh Kumar

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Nirmal Kumar Sinha

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR**  
**ORAL ORDER**

3      12-05-2025                      Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and  
learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with  
Tikapatti P.S. Case No. 160 of 2024 registered for the offence  
under Sections 137(2)/96 of the BNS and under Sections 4 & 6  
of the POCSO Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, the petitioner is  
accused of kidnapping the victim girl for the purpose of  
marriage.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that  
petitioner is innocent and has not committed any offence.  
Petitioner is in custody since 28.09.2024



5. Learned A.P.P. appearing for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail.

6. From the statement of the victim girl it appears that she had left her house on her own as she was in a relationship with the petitioner.

7. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, this application for regular bail is allowed.

8. Accordingly, let the petitioner, above named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Special Judge, Purnea /concerned Court below in connection with Tikapatti P.S. Case No. 160 of 2024.

9. This application for regular bail stands allowed.

**(Sandeep Kumar, J)**

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