

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.29623 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-310 Year-2024 Thana- JOGAPATTI District- West Champaran

1. Santosh Baitha @ Sanosh Kumar Baitha S/o- Harendra Baitha Village- Nanhakar P.S. Yogapatti Dist- West Champaran
2. Suman Kumar Baitha S/o- Harendra Baitha Village- Nanhakar P.S. Yogapatti Dist- West Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Alexander Ashok
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Anant Kumar 1

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

3 08-07-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned
APP appearing on behalf of the State.

2. The petitioners apprehend their arrest in connection with Yogapatti P.S. Case No. 310/2024 for the offences punishable under Sections 132/3(5) of the BNS.

3. As per the prosecution case, when the smart meter Supervisor along with his team went to install smart meter into the premises of these petitioners, they were abused and obstructed by them. These petitioners also misguided and instigated the villagers with regard to the function of smart meter.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that these petitioners have falsely been implicated in this case. He



further submits that they have been made accused without commission of any illegal act. Petitioners claim to have clean antecedent.

5. Learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing on behalf of the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and the accusation that these petitioners have abused and obstructed the Government officials from discharging their official duty, this Court is not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to them. It is accordingly rejected.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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