

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.44735 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-61 Year-2025 Thana- Cyber P.S. District- Saran

Sonelal Kumar @ Sonu S/o- Ashok Chouhan Village- Sahebchak, P.s-
Nawada, District-,Nawada

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Alka Panday, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Madhura Nand Jha, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH
MISHRA**

ORAL ORDER

4 17-09-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP
for the State. Perused the case diary.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Saran
Cyber P.S. Case No. 61 of 2025 instituted for the offence under
Sections 75, 77, 78, 79, 356(2), 351(3), 351(4) of the Bharatiya
Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 and Section 67 of the IT Act.

3. As per prosecution case, accusation against the
petitioner is that he uploaded obscene photos and videos of
informant on *Instagram* and blackmailed her.

4. It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner
that the petitioner is in custody since 13-04-2025. Petitioner
bears no criminal antecedent, as per disclosure made in
paragraph No. 3 of the bail application.



5. It has been further submitted by the petitioner's counsel that petitioner has been falsely implicated in the present case. Learned counsel submits that during investigation police has not recovered any objectionable photo/video of the informant from the possession of the petitioner. During investigation, police has obtained call details record and it is evident that petitioner had not made any video call to the informant. Charge sheet has already been submitted in this case.

6. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

7. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, period of custody of the petitioner and charge sheet being submitted, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

8. Let the petitioner be released on bail, after framing of charge, if not already framed, on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 15,000/- (Fifteen Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in connection with Saran Cyber P.S. Case No. 61 of 2025, subject to the following conditions:

(I) One of the bailors shall be own/close member of the family of the petitioner.



(II) The petitioner shall appear on each and every date fixed at the trial. In case of default in such appearance on two consecutive dates, the Trial Court will have liberty to cancel the bail bonds of the petitioner.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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