

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.62516 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-69 Year-2024 Thana- Tilakeshwar District- Darbhanga

Hastanand Paswan @ Hastanand Kumar Paswan S/o Pawan Paswan R/o
Village - Ghordaur Chigari, P.S - Tilakeshwar, District – Darbhanga.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar.

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

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

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

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

3 20-11-2025 Heard learned counsel appearing on
behalf of the petitioner and learned APP appearing
on behalf of the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection
with Tilakeshwar P.S. Case No. 69/2024 registered
for the offence under Sections 64, 77, 61(2), 3/5
BNS and 67(A) of the I.T. Act.

3. The accused/petitioner is named in the
F.I.R. and is in custody since 20.05.2025.

4. As per FIR, petitioner was alleged to
capturing video of rape/penetrative sexual assault
which was committed by co-accused Satyam
Kumar Paswan upon the informant, who is married
lady of 38 years old.

5. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of



the petitioner submitted that after investigation police submitted final form in this case even against co-accused Satyam Kumar Paswan, against whom the allegation of rape is available and, therefore, the allegation *qua* petitioner as to capture the video of the occurrence not appears convincing. While concluding argument, it is submitted that investigation of this case is already completed, for which charge-sheet has been submitted, as such, there is no chance of tampering with the evidence. Petitioner claimed clean antecedent.

6. Learned APP opposed the prayer of bail.

7. Considering the aforesaid factual submissions and by taking note of fact as the allegation of rape against main co-accused found false upon investigation *prima facie* making the allegation doubtful as raised against this petitioner to capture the video of the occurrence, coupled with the fact that investigation of this case is already completed, where petitioner being man of clean antecedent, remains in custody since



20.05.2025 accordingly, petitioner above named, is directed to be released on bail in connection with Tilakeshwar P.S. Case No. 69/2024 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned I/c Principal District & Sessions Judge, Camp Court, Biraul Darbhanga/concerned Court, subject to the conditions as mentioned under Section 437(3) of the Cr.P.C./Section 480(3) of BNSS.

(Chandra Shekhar Jha, J)

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