

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.81104 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-412 Year-2024 Thana- RAJAOLI District- Nawada

Mantu Kumar @ Mantu Yadav Son of Sanjay Yadav @ Sanjay Prasad Yadav
Resident Of Village- Kairikhap Ps -Rajauli District- Nawada

... .. Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Dimpal Kumari Daughter of Umesh Ram Resident Of Village- Kairikhap Ps
-Rajauli District- Nawada

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Sheo Kumar Prasad, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Ms/Mrs. Usha Kumari 1, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

- 5 21-04-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the State.
2. Petitioner apprehends arrest in a case registered for the offence punishable under sections 65(1) of Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023, sections 7 and 8 of the POCSO Act and sections 3(i)(r)(s), 3(2) of the SC/ST Act.
3. The informant, namely, Dimpal Kumari alleged that on 20.8.2024 while she went out in the evening to retrieve her goat, in the meantime, petitioner caught her, threatened her at knife point and sexually assaulted her.
4. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case due to dispute over sewage. Petitioner claims clean antecedent
5. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for bail. He submits that the He submits that the victim, in her statement recorded under section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, has supported the prosecution case. Age of victim has been assessed as 16 years.



6. Considering the nature and gravity of allegation and aforesaid statement of the victim, prayer for bail of the petitioner is rejected.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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