

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.85758 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-33 Year-2024 Thana- ALINAGAR District- Darbhanga

Neera Kumari S/o- Vinod Kumar Sada @ Vinod Sada Resident of Milki P.O-
Andouly P.S- Alinagar, Dist- Darbhanga

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

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

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Ram Anurag Singh, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DR. ANSHUMAN

ORAL ORDER

3 13-05-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner who apprehends arrest in connection
with Alinagar P.S. Case No. 33 of 2024 lodged on 13.04.2024
for the offences punishable under sections 409 and 420 of the
Indian Penal Code.

3. As per the prosecution, it is alleged that the
petitioner has misappropriated a government amount of
₹73,000/- meant for the construction of toilets.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. The
petitioner is neither named in the F.I.R. nor has any specific



evidence surfaced against her during the course of investigation. It is further submitted that the alleged amount of ₹73,000/- was misappropriated by the named accused, Nishant Kumar Jha, who was the then Principal of the school. However, the said amount has already been deposited by Nishant Kumar Jha. The petitioner, being an assistant teacher, merely signed the cheque as a co-signatory and had no involvement in the alleged misappropriation. It is also submitted that co-accused Nishant Kumar Jha has already been granted anticipatory bail by the learned Sessions Judge. However, it is submitted that the petitioner is an accused in one other criminal case as well.

5. Learned APP for the State opposes the prayer for bail and submits that, as per the ordersheet, the amount in question has indeed been deposited by the co-accused Nishant Kumar Jha into the account of the competent authority.

6. In the facts and circumstances, let the above named petitioner be released on bail, in the event of arrest or surrender before the Trial Court within a period of four weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of ₹30000/- (thirty thousand) as mentioned in Section 2(1) (d) of the Bharatiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 to the satisfaction of the learned SDJM, Benipur, Darbhanga, in connection with Alinagar P.S. Case No. 33 of



2024, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section
482(2) of the Bharatiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023.

(Dr. Anshuman, J)

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