

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.1410 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-338 Year-2023 Thana- MADHUBAN District- East Champaran

1. Asha Devi W/o Rajendra Sahni R/o Village- Semra, P.S.- Madhuban (Garahiya O.P.), District- East Champaran
2. Rajendra Sahni S/o Raghuveer Sahni R/o Village- Semra, P.S.- Madhuban (Garahiya O.P.), District- East Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mrs.Mukul Kumari
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Ajit Kumar

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

8 23-07-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned
A.P.P for the State.

2. The petitioners apprehend their arrest in Madhuban P.S. Case No. 338 of 2023, registered for offence punishable under Sections 302, 304B, 34 of the Indian Penal Code.

3. As per F.I.R., sister of the informant was married with co-accused Yogendra Sahani on 27.06.2022 and after the marriage, all the accused persons including petitioners committed torture and harassment to her for dowry and lastly, on 13.07.2023, all the accused persons committed the murder of sister of informant and concealed her dead-body.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioner no. 1 is sister-in-law (जेठानी) and petitioner no. 2 is



brother-in-law (जेठ) of the deceased. They are separate in mess and property and have got no concern with affairs of the couple. Thrust of the allegation is against husband of the deceased.

5. However, learned A.P.P. for the State vehemently opposes the prayer for anticipatory bail and submits that there is specific allegation in the F.I.R. that these petitioners alongwith husband of deceased committed cruelty and torture with sister of informant and thereafter, committed her murder. It is also alleged that accused persons concealed the dead-body of sister of informant in the house.

6. Considering the nature of accusation, the prayer for anticipatory bail of petitioners is rejected.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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