

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.3755 of 2026**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-271 Year-2025 Thana- DHANAHA District- West Champaran

1. Punam Devi W/o Santosh Chaudhary @ Santosh Pasi R/o village - Nauka Tola, Daunaha, P.S - Dhanaha, District - West Champaran
2. Priyanka Devi W/o Chhotelal Chaudhary @ Deri @ Chhotelal Pasi R/o village - Nauka Tola, Daunaha, P.S - Dhanaha, District - West Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

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| For the Petitioner/s     | : | Mr.Bimlesh Kumar Pandey, Advocate<br>Mr.Satyam Kumar Ojha, Advocate<br>Mr.Mithilesh Kumar, Advocate |
| For the Opposite Party/s | : | Mr.Shailendra Kumar, APP                                                                            |

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PARTHA SARTHY**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      28-01-2026

1. Heard learned counsel for the parties.

2. The petitioners have preferred this application for grant of anticipatory bail apprehending their arrest in connection with Dhanaha P.S. Case no. 271 of 2025 registered under sections 126(2), 115(2), 103(1), 352(2) and 3(5) of the Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023.

3. As per the prosecution case, the eight named accused persons including the two petitioners herein are said to have come at the house of the informant in her absence. It is further stated that as a result of an earlier altercation, the accused persons started to abuse and assault her 20 year old daughter. Dheri @ Chhotelal Pasi and Nirmala Devi are said to



have strangled the daughter of the informant with a *dupatta* leading to her death.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have been falsely implicated in the case. The allegations against the petitioners, who are ladies, are general and omnibus in nature. The specific allegation of assault is on Dheri @ Chhotelal Pasi and Nirmala Devi and not the petitioners herein. The petitioners have no criminal antecedent and undertake to cooperate in the investigation/trial.

5. The application for anticipatory bail is opposed by learned A.P.P. for the State.

6. Having heard learned counsel for the parties and taking into consideration the allegations against the petitioners in the F.I.R., the specific allegation being against Dheri @ Chhotelal Pasi and Nirmala Devi and not the petitioners herein together with the petitioners who are ladies not having any criminal antecedent, it is directed that both the petitioners above named, in the event of their arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of four weeks, be released on anticipatory bail in connection with Dhanaha P.S. Case no. 271 of 2025 on each of them furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount



each to the satisfaction of the learned Judicial Magistrate, 1<sup>st</sup>  
Class, Bagaha, West Champaran.

**(Partha Sarthy, J)**

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