

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.6173 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-5 Year-2022 Thana- FOREST (GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL)
District- West Champaran

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Oshiyar Chaudhary son of Late Ganesh Chaudhary Village- Patarakha, Police
station -Manuapool District- west Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Brij Kishor Mishra
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Ahmad Ali

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

3 10-03-2026 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the

learned counsel for the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends arrest in connection with

Forest Case No. 05 of 2022 registered for offences under

Sections 2, 9, 39, 43, 44 49(a), 49(b) and 51 of the Wildlife

Protection Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, some persons were

found hunting in the forest and they had trapped a Nilgai. One

of the co-accused had named this petitioner as one of the

persons involved in the crime. The petitioner has six criminal

antecedents.

4. Considering the nature and the gravity of the

offence, the involvement of the petitioner in illegal hunting, the



trapping of a Nilgai and the criminal antecedents, this Court is not inclined to grant the privilege of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in the present case.

5. Accordingly, the application for anticipatory bail is hereby rejected.

6. The petitioner is directed to surrender in the court below within a period of two weeks from today and seek regular bail, failing which the Superintendent of Police, West Champaran will take all steps for the arrest of the petitioner.

7. It is, however, clarified that the observations made herein are limited to the adjudication of the present application and shall not prejudice the case of the petitioner at any subsequent stage of the proceedings.

8. Let a copy of this order be communicated to the Superintendent of Police, West Champaran through FAX for its compliance forthwith.

(Sandeep Kumar, J)

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