

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.20350 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-831 Year-2024 Thana- MANER District- Patna

Akal Devi, Wife of Fakan Manjhi @ Fekan Manjhi, R/o Village - Lodipur,
Post – Kamla, Gopalpur, P.S - Maner, Dist. - Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rishi Sinha, Advocate
Mr. Amit Kumar, Advocate
Md. Sadab Alam Wazdi, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Kalyan Shankar, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL DUTTA MISHRA
ORAL ORDER

4 08-07-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends her arrest in a case
registered under Sections 103(2), 3(5), 61(2) of the B.N.S.

3. As per prosecution case, the marriage of informant's
sister was solemnized with Vimlesh Kumar in the year 2003.
After sometime of marriage, it was came to the knowledge of
the informant's sister that Vimlesh Kumar was having an extra
marital relationship with the petitioner. When informant's sister
objected, she was subjected to physical abuse and threatened
with dire consequences. It is alleged that on 01.12.2024, the
informant received the news of death of her sister. Informant
raised suspicion that the husband of the informant's sister and



this petitioner killed her sister.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case on the basis of suspicion. The petitioner has no concern with the deceased or her husband. Except being the co-villager, petitioner has no relation with the co-accused. There is no external injury in the postmortem report of the deceased and *Viscera* has been sent to the Forensic Lab. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that petitioner is a lady having a child of 18 months and she has no criminal antecedent. There is no chance of absconding or tampering with the evidence. She undertakes to cooperate in the investigation and trial.

5. Learned A.P.P. appearing on behalf of the State opposed the bail application.

6. Having considered the facts and circumstances of the case, submissions of learned counsel for the parties, nature of allegation and clean antecedent of the petitioner, who is a lady, let the above named petitioner be released on bail, in the event of arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of six weeks from today, on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount to the satisfaction of learned concerned



Court, Patna in connection with Maner P.S. Case No. 831 of 2024 subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 482(2) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita.

(Sunil Dutta Mishra, J)

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