

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.19761 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-224 Year-2025 Thana- RAHUI District- Nalanda

Balram Kewat S/O Radhe Shyam Kewat R/O Village- Mandilpur, P.S.- Rahui
District- Nalanda

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Raj Kishor Prasad, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Umeshanand Pandit, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 01-05-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

2. Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Rahui P. S. Case No. 224 of 2025 registered for the offences
punishable under Sections 80(2), 238, 3(5) of the Bharatiya
Nyaya Sanhita.

3. Prosecution case, in brief, is that marriage of the
daughter of informant was solemnized with this petitioner in the
year 2020 and thereafter, it is alleged that all the F.I.R. named
accused persons including this petitioner killed the daughter of
informant by burning her, due to non-fulfillment of demand of
dowry. During investigation, in the confessional statement of
this petitioner and other co-accused persons, they admitted
the crime and on their confessional statements, some residues of



bone ashes, match box etc. were recovered. Petitioner is in custody since 27.04.2025.

4. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, prayer for bail of the petitioner is rejected.

5. However, since petitioner is in custody since 27.04.2025, Trial Court is directed to expedite and conclude the trial, preferably, within a period of one year from the date of receipt/production of copy of this order.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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