

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.28020 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-400 Year-2025 Thana- PIPRAKOTHI District- East Champaran

Munna kumar son of Chhotelal sah Resident of village -surujpur, Ps-
Piprakothi, Dist- East champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s :	Mr. Abhishek Kumar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s :	Mr. Anil Kumar Singh No. 1, APP
For the Informant :	Mr. Sanjay Kumar Tiwari, Advocate
	Mr. Mohan Kumar Tiwari, Advocate T

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH
MISHRA**

ORAL ORDER

6 20-07-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, learned
APP for the State, learned counsel for the informant and perused
the case diary.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with
Piprakothi P.S. Case No. 400 of 2025, instituted for the offences
punishable under Sections 137(2), 140(3), 3(5) of the Bharatiya
Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 and after recovery of the dead body,
Sections 103(1) and 238 of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023
have been added later on.

3. The prosecution case, in short, is that the
informant's son allegedly went missing from his house and was
subsequently suspected to have been kidnapped after a
WhatsApp message indicated that he was in Jammu & Kashmir.



4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in the present case. Charge-sheet has been submitted in this case. No incriminating material has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. Learned counsel for the petitioner also submits that the petitioner is not named in the FIR. Name of the petitioner has transpired in this case on the basis of confessional statement made by co-accused, namely, Bipin Bihari. It is further submitted that no specific allegation has been attributed against the petitioner rather the same has been attributed against co-accused person. The petitioner is in custody since 04.12.2025 and has got one criminal antecedent.

5. Learned APP for the State and learned counsel for the informant have vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case and taking into account the period of custody undergone by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

7. Let the petitioner be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 15,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Court



below/concerned Court in connection with Piprakothi P.S. Case
No. 400 of 2025, subject to the following conditions:

(I) One of the bailors shall be own/close member of
the family of the petitioner.

(II) The petitioner shall appear on each and every date
fixed at the trial. In case of default in such appearance on two
consecutive dates, the Trial Court will have liberty to cancel the
bail bonds of the petitioner.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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