

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.39673 of 2026**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-498 Year-2025 Thana- DIGHWARA District- Saran

Nikhil Kumar @ Nikhil Kumar Prasad S/O Shardanand Prasad @ Sada Nand Prasad R/O Village- Basti Jalal, P.S.- Dighwara, Distt.- Saran at Chapra.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Vijay Kumar, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Shyam Kumar Singh, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      22-06-2026                      Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned  
A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with  
Dighwara P.S. Case No. 498 of 2025 registered for the offence  
under Sections 137(2), 96 and 3(5) of the B.N.S.

3. As per the prosecution case, the petitioner is  
accused of kidnapping the victim girl.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the  
petitioner is innocent and has not committed any offence.  
Learned counsel submits that from the statement of the victim  
girl, it appears that she has herself left her house to Delhi to  
meet the petitioner. It appears that the petitioner and the victim  
were in a relationship. The petitioner is in custody since  
23.02.2026.



5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, this application for regular bail is allowed.

7. Accordingly, let the petitioner, above named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (Rs. Ten Thousand Only) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Court below where the case is pending/successor Court in Dighwara P.S. Case No. 498 of 2025, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 482(2) of the B.N.S.S.

8. It is made clear that any observation made herein is *prima facie* in nature and limited solely for the purpose of adjudication of the present bail application. Such observations shall not be construed as an expression on the merits of the case and shall not influence the trial or any other proceedings in any manner.

**(Sandeep Kumar, J)**

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