

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.42188 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-33 Year-2026 Thana- LAHERIYASARAI District- Darbhanga

1. Shobha Singh @ Shobha Devi W/o Shyam Kishore Singh Resident of - Near Tata Workshop, Dumari No. 2, Barpichhri, Kariatn, Jamadobha, P.S - Joraphokhar, District - Dhanbad, State - Jharkhand, Present Address - Ward No. 2, Kewta, P.S - Dalsinghsarai, District - Samastipur
2. Priti Singh W/o Sumit Kumar Singh Resident of - Near Tata Workshop, Dumari No. 2, Barpichhri, Kariatn, Jamadobha, P.S - Joraphokhar, District - Dhanbad, State - Jharkhand, Present Address - Ward No. 2, Kewta, P.S - Dalsinghsarai, District - Samastipur
3. Aarti Singh @ Arti Kumari W/o Amit Kumar Singh Resident of - Near Tata Workshop, Dumari No. 2, Barpichhri, Kariatn, Jamadobha, P.S - Joraphokhar, District - Dhanbad, State - Jharkhand, Present Address - Ward No. 2, Kewta, P.S - Dalsinghsarai, District - Samastipur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Dhiraj Kumar Singh
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Syed Ehteshamuddin

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

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Heard the parties.

2. The petitioners are named in the F.I.R. and apprehending their arrest in connection with Laherisarai P.S. Case No. 33/2026 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 318(4), 316(2), 351(2), 352 and 3(5) of the BNS.

3. As per FIR, husband of petitioner no. 3 namely Amit Kumar Singh entered into an agreement with informant for supply of coal to different brick kilns during the deal/business period, where husband of petitioner no. 3, alleged to cheat total sum of Rs.41,96,500/-.

4. It is submitted by learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioners that admittedly agreement qua business deal was with husband of petitioner no. 3 Amit Kumar Singh and for the reason that petitioner no. 3 is his wife and petitioner no. 1 and 2 are none but



mother and wife of elder brother they were implicated with present crime in question. It is submitted that moreover the allegation is of civil in nature arising out of business transaction for which civil proceeding *qua* recovery may be initiated and as such lodging present criminal case is completely un-occasioned and unwarranted, which was filed only with harassing approach. Petitioner no(s). 1 and 2 claimed clean antecedent and petitioner no. 3 found involved in one more case, where she is on bail.

5. Learned APP opposes the prayer of bail.

6. In view of aforesaid factual submission and by taking note of fact as allegation prima-facie suggests implication of petitioners being family members, where dispute arises out of business deal *qua* recovery of outstanding dues, accordingly all above-named petitioners, who are ladies, in the event of their arrest or surrender before the court below within a period of four weeks, are directed to be released on bail, furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) each with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Additional Sessions Judge-II, Darbhanga/concerned Court, where the case is pending in connection with Laherisarai P.S. Case No. 33/2026, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 482(2) of BNSS.

(Chandra Shekhar Jha, J)

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