

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.43902 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-67 Year-2025 Thana- SANHAULA District- Bhagalpur

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Bikash Mandal @ Vikash Mandal S/O Late Kali Charan Mandal R/O Village-
Kodwar, P.S.- Ghogha (but wrongly typed in F.I.R. P.S. -Sanhoula), Dist.
-Bhagalpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. XXX W/O YYY R/O Village- Mahadevapur, P.S- Sanhoula, Distt.-
Bhagalpur.

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Davendra Kumar Pandey
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Narendra Kumar Singh

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 08-07-2026 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and

learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Snhoula P.S. Case No. 67 of 2025 registered for the offence
under Section(s) 137(2), 87 and 351(3) of the Bharatiya Nyaya
Sanhita, 2023.

3. As per the prosecution case, the petitioner is
accused of kidnapping the victim girl with an intention to marry
her.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has not committed any offence. It is
further submitted that the petitioner is in custody since
09.05.2025 and has a clean antecedent. Learned counsel further
submits that there was a love affair between the petitioner and



the victim.

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

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances and the period of custody, 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/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Court below where the case is pending/successor Court in connection with Sanhoula @ Sanhoula P.S. Case No. 67 of 2025.

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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