

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.52492 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-98 Year-2025 Thana- BIHTA District- Patna

RAUSHAN KUMAR S/o- Ram Nath Sah Resident of village- Tajpur, P. S.
Sheohar, District- Sheohar

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Rinku Devi W/o- Rajesh Thakur Village- Bhagwatipur Ps- Bihta Dist- Patna

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s :	Mr. Masoom Alam, Adv.
For the Opposite Party/s :	Mr. Ahmad Ali, APP
For the informant :	Mr. Suraj Kumar Tiwari, Adv. Md. Farooq, Adv.

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE NAWNEET KUMAR
PANDEY**

ORAL ORDER

5 08-01-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in a case initially
registered for the offence under Sections-137(2) & 140(3) of
B.N.S., 2023 in which, later on, Sections-8 and 12 of the
POCSO Act was also added.

3. The prosecution allegation, in short, is that the
petitioner enticed away the minor daughter of the informant.

4. It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner
that in her statement recorded under Section 183 of the BNSS,
the victim did not support the prosecution case. She has stated in
her statement recorded u/S 183 of the BNSS that without



informing her parents, she went out with her own sweet will.
The petitioner is under custody for near about a year.

5. On the other hand, learned counsel appearing for the informant has submitted that the petitioner had kidnapped the minor daughter of the informant.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, 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 of the satisfaction of learned District & Additional Sessions Judge-VII-cum-Special Judge (POCSO), Patna in connection with Spl. (POCSO) Case No. 138 of 2025 arising out of Bihta P.S. Case No. 98 of 2025 subject to the condition that the petitioner shall cooperate with the trial and make himself available as and when required by the court.

(Nawneet Kumar Pandey, J)

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