

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.66985 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-98 Year-2024 Thana- KAKO District- Jehanabad

Subodh Kumar @ Subosh Kumar S/o Surendra Kumar R/o Vill-
Kajidaulatpur, P.S.- Kako, Distt- Jehanabad

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. Rina Kumari @ Reena Kumari W/o Subodh Kumar @ Subosh Kumar R/o Vill- Kajidaultpur, P.S.- Kako, Distt- Jehanabad, at present R/o Vill- Malahi Kali Sthan, P.S.- Barh, Dist- Patna

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.Dheeraj Kumar, Advocate
For the State	:	Mr.Veena Kumari Jaiswal, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

5 24-02-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner; learned
A.P.P. for the State and learned counsel for the informant.

The petitioner apprehends arrest in connection with
Kako P.S. Case No. 98 of 2024 instituted under Sections 341,
323, 498(A), 504 and 506 of the Indian Penal Code.

3. As per the prosecution case, the petitioner and
others are accused of assaulting and torturing the victim for
demand of dowry. The petitioner is the husband of the victim.

4. It has been submitted by the learned counsel for
the petitioner that the petitioner is innocent and he has falsely
been implicated in this case.

5. Learned counsel for the informant has opposed



the application of the petitioner.

6 . Considering the submission of the parties and in view of the law laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of *Arnesh Kumar Vs. State of Bihar* reported in **(2014) 8 SCC 273**, this application of grant of anticipatory bail is allowed.

7. Let the petitioner, above named, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the concerned Court below within four weeks from today, be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned S.D.J.M., Jehanabad/concerned Court below in connection with Kako P.S. Case No. 98 of 2024, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 / Section 482 of the BNSS.

8. As a condition of this order, the petitioner is directed to pay a maintenance amount of Rs. 12,000/- per month, beginning from the month of February, 2026 to the informant and the maintenance for the month of February, 2026 shall be paid to the informant within one week from the date of pronouncement of this order and thereafter the maintenance amount shall be paid to the informant every month before the



10th day of the month.

9. It is made clear that the order of maintenance passed by this Court shall be subject to the outcome of maintenance case of the Court of Principal Judge, Family Court concerned, if any.

10. Further, if the petitioner is able to prove in the Court below that the informant is also a Government servant then the petitioner shall not be required to pay the maintenance amount to the informant as it has been contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the informant is a teacher in a Government school.

(Sandeep Kumar, J)

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