IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.66343 of 2026

CNR No. BRHC010927652026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-59 Year-2026 Thana- DHORAIYA District- Banka

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Nawal Kishor Mandal Son of Late Basant Mandal Resident of At- Basbitta, P.S.- Dhoraiya, District- Banka (Bihar)

... ... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... ... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :
For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Kumar Kamal Nayan, Adv.
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Arun Kumar Singh, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ALOK KUMAR

ORAL ORDER

3 30-10-2026 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with Dhoraiya Police Station P.S. Case No. 59 of 2026 dated 26.02.2026, for the alleged offences, under Sections 103(1), 61(2), 352, 3(5) of BNS, to the satisfaction court of Learned ACJM-I, Banka.

3. The prosecution case, in brief, is that the informant’s sister Amrita Kumari was married to co-accused Pritam Kumara about 4-5 years prior to the occurrence. After her marriage, she was subjected to physical and mental harassment by all the accused persons on trivial domestic issues. On 24.02.2026, the deceased telephonically informed her sister-

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in-law that she was being severely harassed and assaulted by her father-in-law and mother-in-law and also specifically stated that her brother-in-law had physically assaulted her, allegedly with the support of her husband. On 25.02.2026, the informant received information that his sister had died by hanging. Thereafter, the informant along with his family members reached the matrimonial home, where they found the dead body of the deceased hanging from a rope attached to a ceiling hook in her room.

4. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has no criminal antecedents and is in judicial custody since 06.03.2026. The counsel further submits that charge sheet has been filed. The counsel also submits that the petitioner is merely father-in-law of the deceased and has nothing to do with the said occurrence.

5. The learned APP for the State vehemently opposes the prayer of regular bail to the petitioner.

6. Having heard the parties and taking into consideration that charge sheet has been filed and the petitioner has been implicated in this case merely on suspicion, this Court is inclined to grant the petitioner benefit of regular bail. Let the above named petitioner, be released on bail on furnishing bail

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bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the likewise amount each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in connection with Dhoraiya Police Station P.S. Case No. 59 of 2026, subject to the following conditions:

(I) One of the bailors shall be the petitioner's own or close family member.

(II) The petitioner shall co-operate in the process of trial.

(III) The petitioner shall not tamper with the prosecution evidence or influence/intimidate any witness during the course of trial.

(IV) The Petitioner shall not commit an offence of a similar nature in future.

In case of violation of any of the aforesaid conditions, the Trial Court shall be at liberty to cancel the bail bonds of the petitioner.

(Alok Kumar, J)

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