IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.79914 of 2026

CNR No. BRHC011143072026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-193 Year-2026 Thana- RASULPUR District- Saran

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Raja Soni @ Raja Kumar Soni Son of Munna Prasad @ Munna Kumar Soni Resident Of Village And Ps -Rasulpur District -Saran

... ... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... ... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :
For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Suresh Mishra
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Dr. Ajeet Kumar

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ALOK KUMAR SINHA

ORAL ORDER

2 25-11-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends his arrest in a case registered for the offence punishable under Sections 126(2), 115(2), 117(2), 118(2), 303(2) and 3(5) of the BNS, in connection with Rasulpur P.S.Case No. 193 of 2026.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in the present case due to village politics. It is further submitted that there is inordinate delay in lodging of the FIR, for which no plausible explanation has been given.

4. Learned A.P.P. for the State opposes the prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioner.

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5. From the reading of the FIR and submission made by the petitioner, it appears that the occurrence took place on 16.06.2026 at about 630 p.m., whereas the FIR was lodged on 17.06.2026 at 5.45 p.m., for which there is no explanation of delay. Another strange fact, which can be noticed is that the injury report is of 8.10.a.m. on 16.06.2026, much before the happening of the alleged incident. This raises a doubt about the genuineness of the entire story as narrated in the FIR.

6. Under these circumstances, I am inclined to grant privilege of anticipatory bail to both the petitioner. Let the petitioner, as named above, in the event of his arrest or surrender within four weeks from today, be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction learned Addl. Chief Judicial Magistrate-VI, Saran in connection with Rasulpur P.S.Case No. 193 of 2026, subject to the conditions laid down under section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure/Section 482(2) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 and subject to further condition that:

(i) the petitioner shall co-operate in the investigation/ trial.

(ii) the learned court below would, however, verify

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the criminal antecedent of the petitioner and in case it is found that the petitioner has concealed his criminal antecedent, the court below shall take step for cancellation of bail bond of the petitioner. However, it is expected that the verification process would be done expeditiously without causing any delay.

(Alok Kumar Sinha, J)

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