IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.79881 of 2026

CNR No. BRHC011152342026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-431 Year-2024 Thana- PARBATTA District- Khagaria

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Babita Devi Wife of Tetar Mandal @ Teto Mandal Resident of Village- Kajjalwan, P.S.- Parbatta, District- Khagaria

... ... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... ... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ranjeet Kumar Singh, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Uday Chand Prasad, APP

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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 her arrest in connection with Parbatta P.S. Case No.431 of 2024, registered for the offence punishable under Sections 341, 323, 325, 307, 504, 506/34 of the IPC.

3. As per the prosecution, FIR has been lodged against seven named accused persons including the present petitioner against whom there is allegation that they have assaulted the informant’s son due to which injury has been caused and his waist was fractured.

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4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and has not committed any offence. He has falsely been implicated in the present case. He further submits that the petitioner has no criminal antecedent. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the occurrence took place on 03.06.2024 at about 12.00 A.M., but the FIR was lodged after delay of five months i.e. on 26.10.2024 and not even a single ‘Sanha’ was lodged. There is a general and omnibus allegation against the petitioner and others of having assaulted the informant’s son. Learned counsel for the petitioner lastly submits that the other co-accused persons, Sonu Mandal @ Sonu Kumar, Barun Kumar, Lakshman Mandal @ Lakshman Kumar, Manju Devi @ Ranjo Devi and Akhilish Mandal @ Akhilesh Kumar have already been granted the privilege of anticipatory bail vide order dated 12.08.2026 passed in Cr. Misc. No.56862 of 2026.

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

6. From the reading of the FIR, it appears that the occurrence took place on 03.06.2024 at about 12.00 A.M., but the FIR was lodged after delay of five months i.e. on 26.10.2024 and not even a single ‘Sanha’ was lodged. The petitioner is of

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clean antecedent and there is a general and omnibus allegation against the petitioner and others of having assaulted the informant's son. The other co-accused persons, Sonu Mandal @ Sonu Kumar, Barun Kumar, Lakshman Mandal @ Lakshman Kumar, Manju Devi @ Ranjo Devi and Akhilish Mandal @ Akhilesh Kumar have already been granted the privilege of anticipatory bail vide order dated 12.08.2026 passed in Cr. Misc. No.56862 of 2026.

7. Under these circumstances, this Court is inclined to grant privilege of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

8. Let the petitioner, named above, in the event of her arrest or surrender before the 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 A.C.J.M., Ist, Khagaria in connection with Parbatta P.S. Case No.431 of 2024 subject to the conditions laid down under section 482(2) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 and subject to the further condition that:-

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

(ii) the learned Court would, however, verify the

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criminal antecedent of the petitioner and in case it is found that the petitioner has concealed her 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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