

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.5154 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-735 Year-2025 Thana- SONEPUR District- Saran

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Harish Chandra Dutt @ Ajay Singh S/O Ganesh Dutt Sinha Resident of
Village- Dayalpur Hasni, P.S.- Chandi, District- Nalanda. at present proprietor
M/S Sharda Enterprises, Nalband Toli, Gulzarbagh, Gaighat, P.S.- Alamganj,
Dist.- Patna

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sanjesh Kumar Singh, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Mukesh Kumar Singh, A.P.P.

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 03-02-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the State.

2. Petitioner apprehends arrest in a case registered for
the offences punishable under Sections 105, 3(5) of the
Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita.

3. Prosecution case, in brief, is that on 23.07.2025 at
about 8 AM, this petitioner, who is electric contractor, took
brother of the informant for working near Sanskritik Bhawan,
Sonpur Railway Station where during execution of work, crane
fell down from 30 feet height due to wire breakage as a result of
which, brother of the informant got severely injured and died
during course of treatment.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. From bare



perusal of the F.I.R. it is apparent that it was an accidental death and as per post-mortem report cause of death is electric shock. Petitioner was only the contractor of the work in question as such, he cannot be held responsible for the occurrence. Petitioner claims clean antecedent.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State vehemently opposed the bail application.

6. Considering backdrop of the case, nature of accusation and clean antecedent, this anticipatory bail is allowed and it is ordered that let the above named petitioner in the event of his arrest/surrender before the court below within a period of eight weeks from today, be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail-bond of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Chief Judicial Magistrate, Saran at Chapra in connection with Sonpur P. S. Case No. 735 of 2025, subject to condition as laid down under Section 482(2) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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