

**In the court of Addl. Sessions Judge-II, Begusarai.**  
**Presiding Judge: Brajesh Kumar Singh**  
**A.B.A No-1192/2026**  
**(Arising out of Matihani P.S Case No- 236/2025)**

**IN THE MATTER OF:-**

**Switi Devi**, W/O- Guddu Singh @ Krishna Kumar, aged about 45 years, R/O-vill-Sihma,  
Ward No-15, P.S-Matihani, District-Begusarai

.....Petitioner/Accused

**Vs.**

State of Bihar

.....Prosecution

**Appearances:-**

**Sri Amitabh Kumar, Ld. Advocate for the Petitioner/Accused**

**Sri R.P. Yadav, Ld. Addl.P.P. for the state**

**ORDER**

**30.05.2026**

1) The pre-arrest bail application under section 482 of Bharat Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita ("BNSS") on behalf of the accused-petitioner-Switi Devi has been preferred inasmuch as she has been apprehending her arrest in connection with Matihani P.S Case No- 236/2025, registered for the offences punishable under sections 191(3), 126(2), 115(2), 109(1), 352, 351(2), 324(4), 303(2) and 3(5) of the Bharatiya Nyay Sanhita, 2023 ("B.N.S"), and 27(1) of the Arms Act, 1959, pending in the court of Sri. Vikesh Chandra Verma, Ld. A.C.J.M-1st Begusarai.

2) The prosecution story is based on the written report of one, Shyampari Devi (informant) in which, she has alleged that on 24.12.2025 at around 09:00 AM, while she was present at her home, then the accused persons, namely, (i) Nishant Kumar, (ii) Switi Devi (petitioner), (iii) Guddu Kumar, (iv) Shyam Kumar @ Lolu, and (v) Vinay Kumar thronged to her house, and started hurling abuses. As per informant, when the son of informant-Shravan Kumar started hurling abuses, and started searching for the informant's son in the house, but they could not find him inasmuch as he was not present in the house, rather he was present in his clinic, then the above accused persons went to accused-Shravan Kumar in the clinic, and started hurling abuses. As per informant, Nishant Kumar fired the first gunshot at the Shravan Kumar, and Guddu Singh fired the second gunshot. As per the informant, neither of the gunshots hit Shravan Kumar. As per informant, all of the accused were carrying lathi, danda, khanti. As per informant, all the accused persons destroyed the items kept in clinic, and even removed the door of his clinic, and took out of cash of Rs. 24,000/- to 25,000/- which was kept in drawer of the clinic. As per informant, Nishant Kumar, and Guddu Kumar have issued criminal intimidation that they would kill Shravan Kumar, if he did not withdraw the prior

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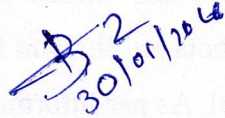
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criminal case. As per informant, in the year 2022, the accused-Guddu Singh and Nishant Kumar have committed murder of the elder son, namely, Kanti Kumar of the informant, and the murder-case was filed against the above-said accused persons, which the accused persons were pressurizing to compromise, but the son of informant was not willing to compromise. As per informant, the above-said accused persons have made an attempt to commit murder of the son of the informant for several times in the past.

3) Ld. counsel for the petitioner has submitted that no specific allegation against the accused-petitioner has been made. He further argued that the accused-petitioner has been implicated due to previous enmity. Ld. Counsel for the petitioner has further submitted that the co-accused-Nishant Kumar was given the benefit of pre-arrest bail. As per Ld. Counsel, the present petitioner-accused is placed at better footing than Nishant Kumar.

4) From the perusal of the records, it appears that the main accused-Nishant Kumar was enlarged on pre-arrest bail vide order dated-01.04.2026 in A.B.A. No-189/2026. This petitioner stands on better footing inasmuch as no specific allegation has been leveled against her. Additionally, the petitioner is a housewife, a rustic lady, her involvement appears to be very abnormal in the prevailing village atmosphere. The most important point for consideration is that son of the informant did not receive any gunshot injuries, despite allegedly he was attacked several times by the accused persons. It is documented that there are previous enmity between the two families, therefore, even the lady of the accused family could be falsely implicated. Every case has got its individuality, no accused can be condemned in this case for her role in the previous case. The petitioner is ready to file the undertaking that she will cooperate in investigation and trial. In this scenario, I am inclined to grant the privilege of bail to this petitioner-accused. Let the petitioner be released on bail on furnishing the bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousands) with two (2) sureties of like amount, in event of her arrest or surrender within 28 days from today.

5) A.B.A. No.- 1192/2026 is hereby **ALLOWED**.

  
(Brajesh Kumar Singh)  
Addl. Sessions Judge-II,  
Begusarai.  
30.05.2026