

IN THE COURT OF SRI RAJ NARAYAN NIGAM, DISTRICT & ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE- I,
BHAGALPUR

Bail Petition No. 325/2026
(Arising out of Sultanganj P.S. Case No 96/2026)

U/s 69 of BNS.

Md. Sarif versus The State of Bihar

Md. Sarif, aged about 25 years, S/o Md. Mahbub,
R/o Village- Sadhuwa, PS-Rangra, District- Bhagalpur.

Petitioner

versus

The State of Bihar

Opposite Party

For the Petitioner : Sri. Raj Kumar Yadav, Ld Advocate.

For the State : Mr. Vijay Kumar Singh, Ld Additional PP.

For the Informant : Md. Mirza Iftekar, Ld. Advocate.

Date of order or proceeding	Order with signature of the court	Office action taken with date
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04-03-2026	The accused-petitioner Md. Sarif who is in custody since 09-03-2026 has filed this bail petition in connection with Sultanganj P.S. Case No 96/2026 registered under Sections 69 of BNS. On behalf of the petitioner a certificate has been given in para 2 of the bail petition that the petitioner had not filed any bail petition in any form on previous occasion either in the court of Learned Sessions Judge, Bhagalpur or before the Hon'ble High Court Patna. Further the petitioner has no criminal antecedent as per para 3 of the bail petition. The prosecution case as per written application of the informant-cum-victim in brief, is that one Md. Sarif has been sexually exploiting her for four years under the pretext of marriage and whenever she used to talk about marriage he kept making excuses. When she told about this to her mother then victim's mother complaint about this to Md. Sarif's sister and asked her to get her brother married to her daughter. On hearing this they started abusing her and her family members and also started assaulting them. Thereafter, Md. Sarif's brother Md. Ballu and Md. Aarif also started threatening them and they also kept on harassing the informant. The Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is innocent and have committed no offence and has falsely been implicated in this case. He further submitted that both the parties has compromised with each other and a compromise petition has been filed before the Ld. Lower Court. Petitioner had got married to victim while in custody. He further submitted that petitioner is in judicial custody since 09-03-2026. Hence the petitioner prays for grant of bail. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the state duly assisted by Ld. Counsel on behalf of informant opposed the prayer of bail but he conceded the fact that the matter have been compromised between both the parties and victim has got married with petitioner in custody with her own will . Heard both sides and perused the case diary and the case record. Allegation against the petitioner is that the petitioner has been sexually exploiting her for four years under the pretext of	

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