

In The Court of Sessions Judge, Buxar

A.B.P. No. 383 of 2026

(Arising out of Koransarai P.S. Case No. 22/2026)

Seema Devi Vs. State of Bihar

Present: Kajal Jhamb,
Sessions Judge, Buxar

Date of Order: 08th April, 2026

Present Anticipatory Bail Petition filed on behalf of petitioner **Seema Devi**, aged about 29 years, W/o Mausham Singh, who is apprehending her arrest in connection with **Koransarai P.S. Case No. 22/2026**, registered u/s 8(C), 21(a) of N.D.P.S. Act is put up and moved today.

Copy of bail petition has already been served to the Ld. P.P. for the prosecution.

Sri Manoj Kumar Thakur learned Counsel for the petitioner certifies that, no other bail petition has ever been filed on behalf of the petitioner in this matter either before this Court or before the Hon'ble High Court nor is pending before any Superior Court. The petitioner has got criminal antecedents of 4 cases. Prosecution has no objection to the submissions.

The Counsel further submits that, petitioner is quite innocent and has been falsely implicated in this case. The recovery of alleged contraband has not been made from the conscious possession of this petitioner. The co-accused Sona Devi is her neighbour and due to enmity she has deliberately named this petitioner. The petitioner is not named in F.I.R. The co-accused Jai Prakash Singh, who was arrested at the place of occurrence has not stated the name of this petitioner. After two days of occurrence police arrested co-accused Sona Devi and recorded her confession. Thereafter, this petitioner has been implicated in this case. The police has conducted search in the house of petitioner but nothing has been recovered. Earlier also, co-accused Sona Devi had implicated this petitioner in Narcotics case. There is no evidence against the petitioner except the confessional statement of co-accused Sona Devi. The petitioner undertakes to cooperate in investigation. Therefore, petitioner deserves to be enlarged on anticipatory bail.

Sri Surendra Prasad Singh, Learned Special P.P. for the State vehemently opposes Bail Petition and prays to reject the anticipatory bail of the petitioner. The name of this petitioner has surfaced in instant case in confessional statement of co-accused Sona Devi, who has stated that occasionally when the quantity falls short she buys heroin from this petitioner for selling it.

Prosecution case in brief according self statement of informant Madhuri Kumari, S.H.O. of Koransarai P.S. is that on 18.02.2026 at about 17.05 hours she received a secret input that one Jai Prakash Singh @ Chinpuly is selling heroin near Shankarji Temple in Mathila village. At about 18.10 hours informant along with other police officials and Circle Officer, Dumraon reached at the place of occurrence, where a person tried to escape but was apprehended by police. He disclosed his name as Jai Prakash

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Singh. In presence of A.S.I Shatrudhan Ram and Homeguard 141635 Daya Shankar Thakur, 2 paper sachets hidden in socks of left leg along with Rs. 1450/- cash of different denominations were recovered from Jai Prakash Singh. When the papers sachets were opened a total of 0.91 gram of heroin was found in the sachets. He confessed that he consumes and sells heroin. During investigation, on basis of confessional statement of co-accused Jai Prakash Singh, Sona Devi was arrested by police with 0.31 gram heroin. Further, co-accused Sona Devi confessed that she buys heroin from Seema Devi (the petitioner) and a co-accused Raju Kanu @ Raju Shah @ Raju Gupta, who was arrested by police with 65.32 gram (weight along with polythene).

Heard Counsels of both side and perused the case diary written upto para 57. The name of petitioner surfaced in instant case on basis of confessional statement of co-accused Sona Devi, who confessed that she used to occasionally buy heroin from this petitioner for seling it. The witnesses in para 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 of case diary have supported the prosecution case. Admittedly, the petitioner has got criminal antecedents of 4 cases out of which one case is registered under N.D.P.S. Act. The material available on record prima facie shows that the petitioner is a member of syndicate which is involved in trade of contraband. The case is still under investigation and the regular bail of co-accused persons have already been rejected by this Court.

Thus, considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, quantity of recovered contraband (heroin), I am not inclined to release the petitioner on anticipatory bail. Accordingly, the present anticipatory bail of petitioner **Maya Devi** is hereby **rejected**.

Dictated
Sd/- Kajal Jhamb
Sessions Judge, Buxar
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