

In the Court of District & Additional Sessions Judge-I, Darbhanga, Bihar.
ABP No.- 1719/2025

Ref :- Arising out of Ashok Paper Mill P.S. Case No. 167/2025, Dated-
14.10.2025, U/s- 115(2), 126(2), 303(2), 117(2), 352, 351(2), 3(5) BNS and 3/4
Dain Act.

In the matter of :-

Anshu Devi aged about 29 years wife of Gulab Kumar Sah.
Resident of Village- Basha Mirzapur, P.S. Ashok Paper Mill, District- Darbhanga.

----- **Petitioner**
Versus.
The State of Bihar ----- **Opposite Party**

Learned counsel for the petitioner : Sri Rajiv Ranjan Thakur, Advocate.

Learned counsel for Opp.Party : Sri Amrendra Narayan Jha, P.P.

Date of order:- 09.03.2026

ORDER

1. The present application has been filed on behalf of the petitioner seeking the privilege of anticipatory bail in connection with Ashok Paper Mill P.S. Case No. 167 of 2025, dated 14.10.2025, registered under Sections 115(2), 126(2), 303(2), 117(2), 352, 351(2), 3(5) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita and Sections 3/4 of the Dain Act, presently pending in the Court of the learned Shri Shalabh Sharma JMFC, Darbhanga.
2. As per the prosecution case, the petitioner, who is the daughter-in-law of the informant, along with her daughter Gitanjali Kumari, used to abuse and assault the informant and allegedly called her a "Dayan". It is further alleged that on 13.10.2025 at about 6:30 P.M., the petitioner again abused and assaulted the informant and when she resisted, the petitioner allegedly assaulted her with a danda, as a result of which the informant sustained a fracture in her left forearm. It is further alleged

that when another daughter-in-law of the informant, namely Laxmi Kumari, intervened to rescue her, she was also assaulted. It is also alleged that the petitioner forcibly entered the room of the informant and took away cash of Rs. 25,000/- and clothes worth Rs. 5,000/-.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and has been falsely implicated in the present case. It is further submitted that the petitioner has no criminal antecedent. It is argued that the informant is the mother-in-law of the petitioner and due to disputes regarding partition of family property, the informant in collusion with another daughter-in-law has falsely lodged the present case against the petitioner and has also ousted the petitioner from the matrimonial house.
4. Learned Special Public Prosecutor for the State has opposed the prayer for anticipatory bail.
5. From the materials available on record, it appears that during the course of investigation the police had issued notice to the petitioner under Section 35(3) of the BNSS and the petitioner cooperated in the investigation. It further appears that the investigation has been completed and charge-sheet has already been submitted. A perusal of the injury report of the informant shows that there is no injury on any vital part of the body, though a fracture in the left forearm has been detected.
6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the nature of

completed and charge-sheet has already been filed, I am inclined to grant the privilege of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

7. Accordingly, in the event of arrest or surrender within four weeks, the petitioner above named is directed to be released on anticipatory bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- with two sureties of the like amount each, to the satisfaction of the learned Court concerned, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C./BNSS.

(Dictated)

**District & Addl Sessions Judge-I
Darbhanga.
09.03.2026**

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**District & Addl Sessions Judge-I
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