

**In the Court of 6th District & Addl. Sessions Judge-Cum-Exclusive Special Judge,
POCSO Act, East Champaran, Motihari, Bihar.**

(Present:- Amlesh Kumar Singh)

A.B.P No. 2704/2026
(Arising out of Sugauli P.S Case No. 585/2025)

1. Ranjit Kumar @ Ranjit Sah, S/o- Babulal Sah, aged about- 36 years,
2. Sonalal Sah, S/o- Ramdev Sah, aged about- 50 years,
Both are R/o village- Bara Baudha, Ward No. 11, P.S- Sugauli,
District- East Champaran..... Petitioners.

Versus

State of Bihar.....Opposite Party.
For the Accused-petitioners:- Ms. Kanchan Kumari, learned advocate.
For the State :- Sri Mani Kumar, Learned Special P.P.

Dated- 20.07.2026.

ORDER

1. This application has been filed for grant of anticipatory bail petition on behalf of the accused persons namely 1. Ranjit Kumar @ Ranjit Sah, & 2. Sonalal Sah in connection with Sugauli P.S. Case no. 585/2025, registered under sections 137(2), 87 of B.N.S., & Section- 8/12 of POCSO Act.

Heard arguments of Ld. Counsel appearing for the accused petitioners & Ld. Spl. P.P. for the State.

Ld. Counsel on behalf of the petitioners submits before the court that no any other anticipatory or regular bail petition of any nature has been filed on behalf of petitioners, either in this Ld. Court or before any Superior Court. Petitioners have no any criminal antecedent. Petitioners have falsely been implicated in this case malafidely due to village politics. The allegation whatsoever levelled against the petitioners are out and out false and concocted. Petitioners have nothing to do with the alleged occurrence. So, alleged sections are not attracted against them. Therefore, they may be released on anticipatory bail.

2. Ld. Spl. P.P. for the state, opposed the prayer for anticipatory bail and submits before the court that the F.I.R has been lodged against the accused-petitioners for indulgence in kidnapping the minor daughter of the informant. The allegations are quite serious and clearly against the society. Therefore, their anticipatory bail petition may be rejected.

3. Heard both the parties and perused the record, the court finds that the F.I.R has been lodged u/s- 137(2), 87 of B.N.S., & Section- 8/12 of POCSO Act, against nine accused persons including present petitioners. It has been alleged by the informant that on dated: 18.11.2025, at about 10:00 o' clock at night his wife and minor daughter was sleeping at their home, at that time co-accused persons including present petitioners had allegedly entered the house of informant and forcibly kidnapped his minor daughter. When informant and his family members opposed this incident, accused persons including present petitioners had physically assaulted them. After that informant

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went to accused persons house for inquiry of his minor daughter, they all abused and threatened him. Informant has firmed belief that accused persons including present petitioners had kidnapped his minor daughter with ill intentions. Hence, this case was lodged. After further perusal of the evidences available on the record the court finds that victim girl has been recovered and her statement u/s- 183 of B.N.S.S., has been recorded. In her statement she has not stated anything adverse against present accused-petitioners. She has not even whispered the name of accused-petitioners in her statement. It seems that the allegation kidnapping are not direct against them.

Therefore, after considering the facts and evidences available on the record this court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the accused-petitioners namely 1. Ranjit Kumar @ Ranjit Sah, & 2. Sonalal Sah. They are directed to be released on anticipatory bail in case of their surrender or arrest before the present court, after furnishing of bail-bond of rupees 10,000/- with two sureties of like amount each within four weeks from the date of passing of this order, with the further condition that one bailer will be their relative and they will co-operate the process of investigation .

(Dictated)

Sd/-

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