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and after marriage his son Md. Shahnavaj alias Kachcho started to live separate with his wife (victim). The petitioner has nothing to do with the affairs of informant and informant's husband. The petitioner is in custody since-15.12.2025, and no specific overt act is alleged against him.

Learned P.P. appearing on behalf of State opposed the prayer for regular bail of petitioner.

Perused the record. It appears that the matter relates to dowry Act. It also appears that there is no specific allegation of assault against this petitioner rather against co-accused Md. Shahnavaj alias Kachcho and Sarik Anwar. The petitioner is father-in-law in relation to victim lady and he is an old man. He is in judicial custody since-15.12.2025, i.e. approximately 03 months.

Considering the entire facts and circumstances of the case and especially keeping in view of custody undergone by the petitioner since-15.12.2025, he is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned court below in connection with Chausa P.S. Case No. 249/2025.

Dictated

Virendra Kumar Chaubey
(Virendra Kumar Chaubey),
I/C Sessions Judge,
Madhepura.

In the Court of Sessions Judge, Madhepura.
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(Arising out of Chausa P.S. Case No. 249/2025).
 1. Md. Hashim S/o Md. Taslim.

Resident of Village-Nardah, Ward No.-05, P.S.-Puraini,
 District-Madhepura.....Petitioner.

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The State of Biha.....O.P.

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06.03.2026 Petition for regular bail filed on behalf of above named
 petitioner, who is in jail custody since-15.12.2025 in connection with
 Chausa P.S. Case No. 249/2025 U/Ss. 85, 109(1), 3(5) of B.N.S. & 3/4
 Dowry Prohibition Act, pressed today for hearing.

Heard Sri S.N. Mishra, learned lawyer for the petitioner and
 Sri Bibeka Kumar Singh, learned P.P. for the State.

In short, case of the informant Akabari Khatoon is that she

had solemnized her daughter Chumni Khatoon's marriage with Md.
 Shahnawaj alias Kachcho S/o Md. Hashim. After some days of the
 marriage, the accused started demanding one Bullet motorcycle and cash
 of Rs. One lakh in additional dowry and due to non-fulfillment of dowry,
 she (Chumni Khatoon) was being tortured and subjected to cruelty by
 making different ways. It is further said that in the night of 11.09.2025 at
 23:55 hours, accused persons, including the petitioner came at the house
 of informant and entered the house, and thereafter, petitioner Md. Hassim
 caught hold the informant's son Md. Tavrej and co-accused Md.
 Shahnawaj alias Kachcho gave multiple Chhura blows on his neck
 causing grievous injury. When the informant raised alarm, accused Sarik
 Anwar snatched Chhura and slit the neck of the injured Md. Tavrej.

Learned lawyer appearing on behalf of the petitioner

submitted that the petitioner is father-in-law of victim Chumni Khatoon

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