

IN THE COURT OF ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE-III, NAWADA

Present: Upendra Kumar, Incharge ASJ-III, Nawada

BAIL PETITION NO. 344/2026

48/26

Arising out of Mufassil P.S. Case No. 76/2025

Jitendra Saw

.....Petitioner

vs.

State of Bihar

.....Opposite Party

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	<p>1. In compliance of Hon'ble High Court's order the P.O. has gone Bihar Judicial Academy, Patna.</p> <p>2. This bail petition is filed by the accused Jitendra Saw who is in custody since 28.02.2026 for committing an offence U/s 137(2), 87 of the B.N.S., 2023 arising out of Mufassil P.S. Case No. 76/2025.</p> <p>3. The brief facts of the case is that the daughter of the informant aged about 15 years went to meet the nature call and visit the crop on 19.2.2025 at about 10:00 a.m. when she had not returned her mother started searching her but she could not be traced. One Indradev Manjhi told that Nirsa Kumari and Jitendra Saw were seen going towards canal on a motorcycle and on questioning Jitendra Saw replied that he is carrying her to visit canal. On approaching the father of accused he started abusing the informant and his family. On contacting the mobile number of victim i.e. Mobile No. 720973980 it was found switch off and lying in the house. It appears that accused eloped the minor daughter by committing conspiracy with the help of Awdhesh Manjhi and Suneel Saw and sold her after committing rape.</p> <p>4. According to para 2 of the bail petition, the petitioner had not filed any anticipatory bail or regular bail either before this Hon'ble Court or before the Hon'ble High Court.</p> <p>5. As per para 3 of the bail petition, the petitioner bear no criminal antecedent.</p> <p>6. Learned Counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and no case as alleged by the prosecution is made out against him. The petitioner was implicated due to dirty village politics. Neither the victim was found in custody of petitioner nor she eloped with him. Petitioner is not familiar with the co-accused persons. He is in custody</p>	

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	<p>since 28.02.2026. Further there is no chance of his absconding as he undertakes to present himself before the police and Court as and when directed to appear. The petitioner further undertakes not to temper with the evidence or witnesses in any manner and will not leave the country without the prior permission of the Court. Hence he be enlarged on bail</p> <p>7. Learned A.P.P. appearing for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer of bail.</p> <p>8. Heard both the sides and perused the record.</p> <p>9. On perusal of the records, it appears that the petitioner is named accused of the F.I.R. The allegation against the petitioner is that he eloped the minor girl of the informant. The statement under section 180 and 183 of B.N.S.S. has already been recorded. As per the record the age of the victim is 16 years and she denied to be medically examined. The matter is still under investigation.</p> <p>10. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail at this stage, hence the prayer of bail of the petitioner above named is rejected.</p> <p>11. The bail petition of the petitioner dated 09.03.2026 is accordingly rejected.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Dictated and corrected) <i>Upendra Kumar</i> (Upendra Kumar) I/C Addl. Sessions Judge-III, Nawada</p>	