

COURT OF PRINCIPAL SESSIONS JUDGE, NAWADA

A.B.P. No. 1297/2026

Sunita Devi & Ors.

Petitioners

Versus

State of Bihar

Opp. Party

Date of order or proceeding	Order with signature of the court	Office action taken with date
06.06.2026	1. This anticipatory bail petition has been filed on behalf of the petitioners, namely, 1.Sunita Devi, 2.Ruchi Kumari, 3.Laxmi Kumari, 4.Nawal Kishor Prasad and 5.Ravi Shankar @ Ravi Kumar, who are apprehending their arrest in connection with Nawada P.S. Case No.374/2026 u/ss. 191(2), 190, 109, 303(2), 115(2), 126(2) of the B.N.S and put up for hearing. 2. Heard Shri Gouri Shankar Prasad Singh, learned counsel for the petitioners as well as Shri Manoj Kumar Singh, learned P.P. for the State. Perused the record including the case diary. 3. The short case of the prosecution as per written typed complaint of the informant Dharmendra Kumar is that on 11.04.2026 at about 06:30 A.M., when he came out from his house and reached at near Ayodhya Colony, all the accused persons including these petitioners were present in pre-planned manner and on the indication of accused-Nawal Kishor Prasad they obstructed the way of the informant. It is alleged that accused-Kaushal Kumar @ Manish and Ravi Shankar @ Ravi started abusing him and caught hold his hand and then the accused persons, namely, Sunita Devi, Lakshmi Kumar and Ruchi	

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Kumar started assaulting him. It is further alleged that when he raised *hulla*, the accused Kaushal Kumar @ Manish has assaulted him by means of iron rod and accused-Ravi Shankar @ Ravi assaulted over his neck. It is also alleged that they snatched away a mobile of Rs.15,000/- and cash of Rs.20,000/- from his pocket.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners have no criminal antecedent. It has been submitted that petitioners are innocent and they have falsely been implicated in the present case due to earlier dispute. It has further been submitted that no specific allegation of assault has been levelled against this petitioner except the allegation as regard to catching collar of the shirt of the informant and petitioner-Nawal Kishor Prasad has directed to assault the informant. Hence, anticipatory bail petition of the petitioners may be allowed.

On the contrary learned P.P. opposed the anticipatory bail petition of the petitioners.

5. All the petitioners have no criminal antecedent, which is clear from para 44 of the case diary. The specific allegation of assaulting the informant is upon Kaushal Kumar @ Manish by iron rod over his head, who is not the petitioner over here and the petitioner no.5, Ravi Shankar @ Ravi Kumar has assaulted over his nose. The allegation against other petitioners 1.Sunita Devi, 2.Ruchi Kumari, 3.Laxmi Kumari, and that they caught him by his collar of shirt

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and petitioner-Nawal Kishor Prasad directed them to assault. Apart from that there is no specific allegation against them. The injury report has been brought on record, which shows, lacerated wound of size 1X1cm over left eyebrow, abrasion over right toe and generalized boydache. The CT-Scan of brain has been brought on record, which shows, displaced fracture of both nasal bones. CT-scan of facial bone shows no bony fracture. Bony fracture and skull found to be normal. The same was found to be grievous in nature. No repetition of blow on the vital part of the body. There is land dispute existing between the parties, as stated by the informant himself.

6. In view of the above, this court thinks it fit just, proper and legal to admit the petitioners on anticipatory bail. Accordingly, the prayer for anticipatory bail of the accused-petitioners, namely, 1.Sunita Devi, 2.Ruchi Kumari, 3.Laxmi Kumari, 4.Nawal Kishor Prasad and 5.Ravi Shankar @ Ravi Kumar, are being **allowed** hereby and it is ordered that in the event of surrender/arrest within four weeks from today the petitioners shall be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand) each with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned court below subject to the conditions as laid down u/s 482(2) of the B.N.S.S. with further conditions that the petitioners shall make themselves available for interrogation by a

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