

COURT OF PRINCIPAL SESSIONS JUDGE, NAWADA

A.B.P. No. 1531/2026

Nandlal Yadav & Anr.

Petitioners

Versus

State of Bihar

Opp. Party

Date of order or proceeding	Order with signature of the court	Office action taken with date
05.08.2026	1. This anticipatory bail petition has been filed on behalf of the petitioners 1.Nandlal Yadav and 2.Sanoj Kumar, who are apprehending their arrest, in connection with Kawakole P.S. Case No. 312 of 2026 under Sections 305(e), 317/3(5) of the B.N.S. and put up for hearing. 2. Heard Shri Navin Kumar, 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 the written statement of the informant Apurav Singh, Mining Inspector, Nawada is that on 13.09.2024 at about 09:00 A.M. he along with other police officials conducted a raid in Bhorambag for protection of illegal mining of sand. It is alleged that during course of raid they saw one tractor lodged with sand were coming from the side of riverbed and one motorcycle with driver were coming with the tractor. It is further alleged that when they tried to stop them, the driver of tractor and motorcycle tried to flee away but even after making best effort of the raiding team, they could not successfully apprehended. It is stated that they left one Swaraj tractor bearing Engine	

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Contd. 05.08.2026	No.CJ135WNG006537, Chassis No. MBNAK48ACNTG23075 loaded with illegal mined sand and one glamour motorcycle bearing registration no. BR27H2914, Chassis No.MBLJA06AMGGD-02208, Engine No.JA06EJGGD16349, which were seized by the raiding team. It is further stated that upon query made from the local people, they disclosed that the accused-Bhikhari Mahto and Nitish Kumar is engaged in illegal mining of sand. 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 and they have not committed any offence, as alleged in the FIR. It has further been submitted that petitioner no.1 is owner of the seized tractor and trailer and petitioner no.2 is driver of the seized tractor. It has further been submitted that the petitioner no.1 has already been deposited the penalty/fine amount of Rs.30,375 in the District Mines Officer, Nawada. 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. Petitioner no.1 Nandlal Yadav is the owner of seized tractor which was carrying illegal mined sand and petitioner no.2 Sanoj Kumar is the driver of the said tractor. It was stated that the petitioners have no criminal antecedent. The loss cost to the Government was found to be
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tune of Rs.30,375/- only which has been deposited through e-Challan vide GRN BHR20260225151616698676M on 25.02.2026.

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 1.Nandlal Yadav and 2.Sanoj 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 police officer as and when required and the petitioners shall not, directly or indirectly, make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer, the petitioners shall remain present on each and every date during the trial and if the petitioners fail to appear on two consecutive dates their bail-bonds shall be liable to be cancelled.

(Dictated & corrected by me)

Principal Sessions Judge.