

In the Court of Sessions Judge/Special Judge (NDPS), Patna

Anticipatory Bail Application No.- 688/2026

Chandan Kumar Paswan

Petitioner

Vs.

The State of Bihar

Opposite party

Date

ORDER

07-03-2026

1. This anticipatory bail application is preferred by **Chandan Kumar Paswan**, who is apprehending arrest in connection with **Naubatpur P.S. Case No.54/2026** dated 25.01.2026, registered for offences punishable under Sections 8(C),21 (b) of NDPS Act.
2. Heard Sri Om Prakash, learned counsel for the accused-petitioner and Sri Ashok Kumar Sinha, learned Spl. PP on behalf of the State.
3. The prosecution case, in brief, is that on 25.01.2026 a raiding team conducted a raid near Ajwa Bridge Bihta Sarmera main road and apprehended the co-accused Ravindra Kumar @ Chotu Paswan. On search, 160 puriya of smack weighing 28.76 grams net smack along with one Lava Keypad mobile phone were recovered. The co-accused disclosed that he had procured the said smack from the petitioner Chandan Kumar Paswan.
4. Learned Counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is innocent, committed no offence and has no criminal antecedent. It was further submitted that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in this case and was not present at the place of occurrence. It was next submitted that the name of the petitioner transpired in the statement of the co-accused which has no evidentiary value in the eyes of law. On these grounds, prayed for privilege of anticipatory bail.
5. Per Contra, learned Special Public Prosecutor vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner and submitted that 28.76 grams smack was recovered from the possession of the co-accused persons namely Ravindra Kumar @ Chotu Paswan who disclosed that he had procured the

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said smack from the petitioner. It was next submitted that investigation is still going on and charge sheet is yet to be submitted against this petitioner. The allegation against the petitioner is serious in nature. Hence, the petitioner does not deserve the privilege of anticipatory bail.

6. Considering the nature of offence; nature of accusation against the petitioner that he is engaged in sale of smack along with co-accused; name of the petitioner surfacing in the disclosure of arrested co-accused person and that investigation is going on and chargesheet is yet to be submitted, this Court is of the opinion that it is not a fit case for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.
7. Accordingly, this anticipatory bail application filed on behalf of the petitioner namely **Chandan Kumar Paswan** is hereby **rejected**.

(Dictated)

(Rupesh Deo)
Sessions Judge/Special Judge (NDPS),
Patna

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