

In the Court of Additional Sessions Judge III, Danapur, Patna

Present: Manoj Kumar Srivastava, A.S.J.-III, Danapur

Bail Petition No. 212/2026

Arising out of IIT Amhara P.S. Case No. 214/2025

Manish Kumar @ Sujeet Kumar, aged about 30 years, S/o Vijay Yadav, R/o Vill Rajpur, P.S. Bihta, Dist. Patna Petitioner.

The State of Bihar

v r s.

.....Prosecution.

On behalf of Petitioner: Sri Sunil Kumar, Ld. Advocate

On behalf of Opposite Party: Md. Kalam Ansari, Ld. A.P.P.

ORDER

18-03-2026

01. The regular bail petition has been filed by the petitioner, who is in custody since 13/01/2026 in connection with the present IIT Amhara P.S. Case No. 214/2025, dt. 30/10/2025, registered U/s 25(1-B)(a), 26 of the Arms Act, which is pending in the Court of A.C.J.M.-I, Danapur.

02. The prosecution case, as per, the written report of informant Pawan Kumar Rajak, S.I. of IIT Amhara P.S., in brief, is as such: On 29/10/2025 night about 23:10 hrs, police team were rounding in the area for arresting of warranted accused and recovery of firearms in view of coming legislative assembly election 2025. The informant got a tip that accused Sujeet Kumar has kept an illegal desi katta in his house and created an atmosphere of terror in the locality by flaring firearm. The police team reached to the house of accused in village Rajpur. After thorough search, the police recovered a desi katta, one gupti and four live cartridges. A seizure list was made accordingly. On the basis of written report of the informant, F.I.R. was lodged and investigation started.

03. The learned lawyer of the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is quite innocent and has committed no offence as alleged and the allegations leveled against him is totally false and baseless. Further the petitioner has not filed any bail application either anticipatory or regular in this court or in the Hon'ble High Court and no case is pending before any court. Further the petitioner is also accused in Bihta P.S. case nos. 1126/2018, 714/2017, 128/2016, 256/2020, 398/2020, 1343/2018, 714/2014, 1126/2018, 755/2023 and Spl. Case nos. 342/2017 and 138/2017. Further submitted that petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case. Further no incriminating articles recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. Further submitted that petitioner was not present at the place of occurrence. Lastly, it is submitted that the petitioner is in custody since 13/01/2026 without any fault and is ready to execute bail bond as per direction of the court. So, the petitioner may be enlarged on bail.

04. The learned Addl. P.P. has vehemently opposed the prayer of bail of the petitioner.

05. Heard the Ld. Lawyers of the respective parties and perused the case record.

06. From perusal of the F.I.R., it appears that the present case has been lodged for the offence U/s 25(1-B)(a), 26, 35 of the Arms Act for recovery of a big knife,

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one desi katta and four live cartridges from the house of petitioner. Further the I.O. of this case has submitted charge sheet no. 53/2026 u/s 25(1-b), a, 26 of the Arms Act. So far case diary is concerned, para 2 of the case diary contains the seizure list. Further para 3, 8, 12, 13 and 14 contain the statements of other witnesses. All witnesses have supported the prosecution case. Para 84 of the case diary shows that the I.O. of this case has submitted charge sheet in this case. On perusal of entire materials on record, the court finds that the petitioner has long criminal antecedent of 11 cases. Further he is in custody since 13/01/2026. Further investigation of the case has been completed.

07. Considering the entire facts and circumstances of the case and the period of custody of the petitioner and long criminal antecedents and that the investigation of the case has been completed, let the above named petitioner be **released on bail once charge framed** on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- each with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned court concerned subject to the condition that **01.** the petitioner shall not commit similar offence in future, **02.** He shall fully co-operate in the trial of the case and shall be properly representing before the court concerned. O/C is directed to send a copy of this order to the Court concerned and a copy of the same be uploaded in C.I.S.

(Dictated)

(Manoj Kumar Srivastava)
Addl. S. J. 3rd, Danapur
18-03-2026

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Sd/-
(Manoj Kumar Srivastava)
Addl. S. J. 3rd, Danapur