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Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No(s). 3284/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 21-01-2026 in CRLM No. 72514/2025 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Patna]

PRATAP SINGH

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF BIHAR & ANR.

Respondent(s)

FOR ADMISSION

IA No. 58158/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 13-03-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRASHANT KUMAR MISHRA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N.V. ANJARIA

For Petitioner(s) :Mr. Devendra Kumar Singh, Adv.
Mr. Karunakar Mahalik, AOR
Ms. Gitanjali N Sharma, Adv.
Mr. Sarbendra Kumar, Adv.

For Respondent(s) :Mr. Anshul Narayan, Addl. Standing Counsel, Adv.
Mr. Anshuman Harsh, Adv.
Mr. Prem Prakash, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

1. Issue notice.
2. Mr. Anshul Narayan, learned additional standing counsel appears and accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State.
3. Formal issuance of notice is waived.
4. Considering that the main accused Neelam Kumari who produced forged certificate in the year 2006 to secure

appointment has already been allowed anticipatory bail by the High Court, and the other co-accused has also been released on anticipatory bail, and also for reason that FIR has been filed in the year 2022, whereas the alleged incident has taken place in the year 2006, we are inclined to grant benefit of interim protection to the petitioner in FIR No. 201 of 2022 registered at Police Station Pranpur (Roshna), District Katihar, for the offences punishable under Sections 420, 467, 468, 120B and 471 of Indian Penal Code, 1860.

5. Accordingly, it is directed that in the event of arrest the petitioner shall be released on bail, on such terms and conditions as may be imposed by the Trial Court.

6. List on 04.05.2026.

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COURT MASTER (SH)

(CHETNA BALOONI)
COURT MASTER (NSH)