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Kishanganj Dalit Family Alleges Attack Over Hindu Worship

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An injured Guddu Ram on 13 May/picture shared by his brother Birendra Ram

CASE SUMMARY

Date and location	13 May, near a Shiva temple on Thakurbari Road, Kishanganj, Bihar
Earlier flag dispute	A family member alleged that on 10 May the group demanded removal of a saffron flag from the temple.
Bhim Army complaint	The local Bhim Army representative alleged that a group attacked him near the temple while a police officer was present.
Family's complaint	The family's complainant alleged that a group entered the temple, demanded its removal and tried to break the shivling.
Arrests	The investigating officer said police had arrested two people from each side.

THE TAKEAWAY

Police were investigating both complaints and had arrested two people from each side.

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