

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.15253 of 2017

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Vinod Kumar Singh @ Binod Kumar Singh, son of Sri Parshu Singh,
resident of Village + P.O. + Police Station- Ram Chandra Pur, District-
Gopalganj.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Department of
Excise, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate, Gopalganj.
3. The Superintendent of Police, Gopalganj.
4. The Officer-in-Charge, Thawey Police Station, District- Gopalganj.

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Bijay Prakash Singh, Advocate

For the Respondent/s : Mr. Pushkar Narain Shahi, AAG- 6

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CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR

UPADHYAY

ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

2 30-10-2017

This writ petition has been filed for release of a
vehicle in question (Hyundai Car) bearing Registration No. BR-
29 Y- 1290, which has been seized in connection with Excise Case
No. 105 of 2016, arising out of Thawey P.S. Case No. 163 of
2017 due to violation of the Excise Act. The confiscation
proceedings are pending and the prayer made in the writ petition is
to release the vehicle in question pending finalization of the
confiscation proceedings and criminal case.

It is common ground that in various cases, identical
in nature, pending finalization of the confiscation proceedings
vehicles have been directed to be released by this Court on various



conditions and we see no reason to make a deviation in the present case.

Keeping in view the aforesaid, it is directed that pending finalization of the confiscation proceedings and aforesaid criminal case, the aforesaid vehicle in question shall be released to the petitioner on his furnishing Bank guarantee to the satisfaction of District Magistrate, Gopalganj and further undertaking to produce the vehicle as and when directed by the District Magistrate, Gopalganj and not to alienate or deal with the vehicle in question during the pendency of the confiscation proceedings and criminal case.

With the aforesaid, the writ petition stands allowed and disposed of.

(Rajendra Menon, CJ)

(Anil Kumar Upadhyay, J)

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