

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Criminal Miscellaneous No.31216 of 2017

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -108 Year- 2016 Thana -NAVHATTA District- SASARAM (ROHTAS)

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Jai Prakash Singh @ Monu Singh, son of Deomuni Singh, resident of
Village - Nauhatta Nichla Khor, P.S. - Nauhatta, Distt - Rohtas.

.... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar.

.... Opposite Party

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Surendra Kumar Mishra, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Chaubey Jawahar, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHWANI KUMAR SINGH

ORAL ORDER

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Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

2. Apprehending his arrest in connection with
Nauhatta P.S. Case No. 108 of 2016 registered for the offences
under Sections 272, 273/34 of the Indian Penal Code and Section
30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016, the petitioner
has filed the present application under Section 438 of the Code of
Criminal Procedure for grant of pre-arrest bail.

3. In view of the provision prescribed under sub-
section (2) of Section 76 of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act,
2016 (for short 'the Act') as also in view of the order dated



07.07.2017 passed by this Court in the matter of Ashok Sahani Vs. State of Bihar (Cr. Misc. No. 26109 of 2017), I am of the considered opinion that an application under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 would not be maintainable in any case involving the arrest of any person on accusation of offence committed under 'the Act'.

4. Hence, the present application filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner in a case involving accusation of offence committed under 'the Act' is disposed of as not maintainable.

(Ashwani Kumar Singh, J.)

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