

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.16648 of 2017

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Raja Kumar @ Ranjay Kumar, Son of Late Jagdeo Pd. Yadav, Resident of
Village- Bahera, P.S.- Tankuppa, District- Gya.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Excise Prohibition & Registration Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Collector-cum-District Magistrate, District- Gaya.
3. The Superintendent of Excise, Gaya.
4. The Superintendent of Police, Gaya, District- Gaya.
5. The Officer Incharge, Fatehpur, P.S.- Fatehpur, District- Gaya.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ajay Kumar Sinha, Adv.
For the Respondent/s : Mr. VIVEK PRASAD - GP7

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CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR UPADHYAY

ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

2 16-11-2017 This writ petition has been filed for release of a vehicle (Hero Honda Motorcycle) bearing Registration No. BR 02AC-2182, which has been seized in connection with Fatehpur P.S. Case No. 363/2016 due to violation of the Excise Act. 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 aforesaid confiscation proceedings and criminal case, the aforesaid vehicle in question shall be released to the petitioner on his furnishing Bank Guarantee to the satisfaction of District Magistrate, Gaya and further undertaking to produce the vehicle as and when directed by the District Magistrate, Gaya 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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