

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.18030 of 2017

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Bablu Kumar, son of Sudama Ray, resident of Mohalla- Ratanpura, Ashutosh Lane, P.S.- Bhagwan Bazar, District- Saran at Chapra.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Registration, Excise and Prohibition Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate-cum-Collector, Saran at Chapra.
3. The Assistant Excise Commissioner, Saran at Chapra.
4. The Superintendent of Excise, Saran at Chapra.
5. The Superintendent of Police, Saran at Chapra.
6. The Vehicle Inspector, Saran at Chapra.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Dewendra Narayan Singh, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Anil Kumar Sinha -GA 1

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CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR UPADHYAY

ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

2 08-12-2017 This writ petition has been filed for release of a vehicle (Hero Glamour) bearing Registration No. BR 04V-5559, which has been seized in connection with Bhagwan Bazar P.S. Case No.394 of 2017 due to violation of the Bihar Excise and Prohibition Act, 2016. The prayer made in the writ petition is to release the vehicle in question pending finalization of the criminal case.

It is common ground that in various cases, identical in nature, pending finalization of the criminal case and the Confiscation proceedings, if any, 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, if any, and the aforesaid criminal case, the aforesaid vehicle in question shall be released to the petitioner on his furnishing two sureties to the satisfaction of District Magistrate, Saran at Chapra and further undertaking to produce the vehicle as and when directed by the District Magistrate, Saran at Chapra and not to alienate or deal with the vehicle in question during the pendency of the confiscation proceedings and the criminal case.

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

(Rajendra Menon, CJ)

(Anil Kumar Upadhyay, J)

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