

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

MCRC No. 4185 of 2017

- Girdhar Dewangan S/o Sudarshan Dewangan Aged About 42 Years R/o Village Dodarpal, Police Station Jagdalpur, District Bastar, Chhattisgarh.

---- Applicant

Versus

- State Of Chhattisgarh Through The Police Station Kotwali, District Bastar, Chhattisgarh.

---- Non-applicant

For Applicant – Shri P.K.Tulsyan, Advocate.

For Non-applicant/State – Shri Vinod Tekam, Panel Lawyer.

Hon'ble Shri Justice Chandra Bhushan Bajpai

Order on Board

26-07-2017

1. Heard the matter finally.
2. Learned counsel for the applicant would submit that the applicant held arrested in connection with Crime No.117/17 on 03-04-2017 by P.S. Kotwali, Jagdalpur, District Bastar, C.G. for the offence under Section 34(2) of the C.G. Excise Act, 1915. After investigation police had filed the charge sheet which is pending before the CJM Jagdalpur, Distt. Bastar, C.G. as Criminal case No.635/17. The applicant is first offender. As per the allegation, from the applicant 9.510 bulk liter foreign liquor has been seized. He will not commit any offence in future. He may be granted bail during trial.
3. Per contra, learned counsel for the non-applicant/State opposed the argument advanced on behalf of the applicant on the basis of the quantity of liquor so seized from the applicant, though fairly conceded that there is no any criminal past of the applicant.
4. Perused the entire material.
5. As the applicant is in custody for since three months 23 days till date, charge sheet has been filed, trial may take some time, the applicant is first offender, and on consideration of the entire facts, I am inclined to grant one opportunity to the applicant so that he shall not involve himself in any offence and shall live peacefully in society. Consequently, the instant MCRC is hereby

allowed. The applicant is directed to be released on bail on his furnishing a personal bond in the sum of Rs.40,000/- with one solvent surety of the like sum to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate Jagdalpur, C.G. for his appearance before the said Court as and when directed till trial.

6. It is made clear that this order granting bail to the applicant shall stand cancelled automatically without reference to the Bench by the Court below if (i) the trial Court finds that the applicant suppressed filing or pendency of any other application for grant of bail before this Court or the Hon'ble Apex Court intentionally; (ii) the applicant does not cooperate in the trial; (iii) the applicant is found to be involved in any offence of the like nature; and (iv) the trial Court finds that the applicant remains absent without any sufficient and cogent reason. If bail is cancelled automatically in view of above, the Court below may proceed further under the provisions of law under intimation.

7. Certified copy as per rules.

Sd/-
(Chandra Bhushan Bajpai)
Judge