

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.35006 of 2018

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Banti Kumar, son of Dashrath Thakur, resident of Village- Ram Mandir
Bokaro Still City Sector- 1C, P.S. Nagar, District Bokaro (Jharkhand).

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

.... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ram Sumiran Rai

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Yogendra Kumar

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRAKASH CHANDRA
JAISWAL**

ORAL ORDER

2 22-06-2018 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in a case registered for the
offence punishable under Section 30 (a) and 56(d) of the Bihar
Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

66.06 liters of foreign liquor is said to have been
recovered from the Tata Sumo and the petitioner sitting in the said
vehicle was apprehended.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner
that no incriminating article has been recovered from the
conscious physical possession of the petitioner. He has no concern
with the seized liquor. He happens to be a simple commuter of the
vehicles and had no knowledge of keeping of the said liquor in the
vehicle and the driver of the said vehicle managed to escape



seeing the police party. He has no criminal antecedent and has been languishing in custody since 01.05.2018.

In the facts and circumstances of the case, the above named petitioner is directed to be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Additional Sessions Judge-V-cum-Special Judge Excise Court, Gaya in connection with Excise Case No. 161/18.

(Prakash Chandra Jaiswal, J)

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