

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Criminal Miscellaneous No.15458 of 2018

Arising Out of PS.Case No. -292 Year- 2017 Thana -GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL COMP. District- EASTCHAMPARAN(MOTIHARI)

Sanjeet Thakur, S/o late Mahadeo Thakur, R/o Village- Chiutaha, P.S.- Kotwa, District- East Champaran.

.... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

.... Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr. Umesh Chandra Verma, Advocate.

For the Opposite Party : Mr. Dr.Mrityunjaya Kr.Gautam, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 19-03-2018 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for the State.

The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in a case for the offence registered under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

The prosecution story, in brief, is that total 179.175 liters wine is said to have been recovered.

It has been submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case. There is no allegation of tampering with the witnesses alleged against the petitioner. It is alleged that total 179.175 liters wine is recovered from the Boat. The Boat in



question does not belong to the petitioner. The name of the petitioner has come on the basis of secret information as per F.I.R. The source and genuineness of secret information has not been disclosed by the prosecution. Except for this, there is no other substantive evidence to suggest the implication of the petitioner in this case. Nothing incriminating has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner had no knowledge regarding the alleged incident. There is no compliance of Section 100 Cr. P.C.

On behalf of the State, it is submitted that the petitioner is named in the F.I.R/ Complaint Case.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, let the petitioner above named, in the event of arrest or surrender before the learned court below within a period of six weeks from today, be released on anticipatory bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Special Judge, Excise, Motihari, East Champaran, in connection with Excise Case No. 292 of 2017, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

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(Sudhir Singh, J)