

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Miscellaneous No.37246 of 2018

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-206 Year-2016 Thana- BELHAR District- Banka

Sunoj Bhagat @ Sanoj Bhagat S/o Rajeshwar Bhagat, R/o Vill.- Sangrampur,
P.S.- Sangrampur, District- Munger.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Brij Nandad Prasad
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Madhuranand Jha

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SHIVAJI PANDEY
ORAL ORDER

2 04-07-2018 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

In this case, the petitioner is apprehending his
arrest in connection with Belhar P.S. Case No. 206 of 2016
registered for offences under sections 7 of the E.C. Act.

As per allegation, a pickup van, bearing
registration no. JH-17C 9591, was intercepted which was loaded
with 62 bags equivalent to 31 quintal of P.D.S. Arwa rice.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is neither the P.D.S. dealer nor does the business of
rice rather he is a owner of the vehicle, in question, and he had
no knowledge that his vehicle was being used for carrying rice
for the purpose of black marketing.

Looking to the entire facts and circumstances of the



case, let the petitioner, namely, Sunoj Bhagat @ Sanoj Bhagat, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the court below within a period of four weeks from today, be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Banka in connection with Balhar P.S. Case No. 206 of 2016, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C. as also subject to condition that whenever the police will call the petitioner for investigation/interrogation, he will remain present and if he would not present himself, the privilege of grant of anticipatory bail shall be deemed to have been canceled.

(Shivaji Pandey, J)

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