

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.74831 of 2019

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-638 Year-2019 Thana- KATIHAR District- Katihar

JITENDRA PODDAR Son of Late Krishndev Poddar R/O- Mirchaibari, P.S.-
Katihar (N), Distt.- Katihar

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Singh
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Parmanand Kumar

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

ORAL ORDER

2 11-12-2019 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) of the Bihar Prohibition
and Excise Act, 2016.

180.12 litres of foreign liquor is said to have been
recovered from the Maruti Car and the petitioner 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 the driver of
the said car. He had no knowledge of keeping of the liquor on



the car by the commuters, who managed to escape seeing the police party on the way leaving the aforesaid article in the car. He has no criminal antecedent and has been languishing in custody since 25.09.2019.

Learned APP for the State opposed the bail petition.

Considering the facts aforesaid, 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-II-cum-Special Judge, Excise, Katihar in connection with Katihar Nagar P.S. Case No.638 of 2019.

(Prakash Chandra Jaiswal, J)

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