

NAFR**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR****MCRC No. 2294 of 2019**

Shivam Verma, son of Vijay Verma, aged about 20 years, R/o Village Mahkakhurd, Tahsil Patan District Durg (CG). **---- Applicant**

Versus

State of Chhattisgarh, through Station House Officer, Police Station Kumhari, District Durg (CG). **---- Non-applicant**

For Applicant : Mr. Purnendra Khichariya, Advocate.
For Non-applicant : Ms. M. Asha, Panel Lawyer

Hon'ble Shri Justice Sharad Kumar Gupta
Order On Board

04.04.2019

1. This is first bail application under Section 439 of the Cr.P.C. preferred by the applicant before this Court and no other bail application is pending before any other Court.
2. The applicant has been arrested in connection with Crime No.57/2019 registered at Police Station Kumhari, Civil and Revenue District Durg for the offence punishable under Section 34(2) of Chhattisgarh Excise Act.
3. Case of the prosecution, in brief is that on 20.03.2019, 8.640 bulk liters foreign liquor has been seized from the applicant.
4. Counsel for the applicant submits that the applicant is innocent and has been falsely implicated in the present case, therefore, he may be released on bail.
5. On the other hand, counsel for the State opposes the bail application. He further submits that no criminal antecedent of the applicant is reported in police case diary.
6. Looking to the above facts and circumstances of the case, the application is allowed. It is directed that if the applicant furnishes one solvent surety for a sum of Rs.25,000/- along with a personal bond of Rs.25,000/- to the satisfaction of the concerned Trial Court, he be released on bail.
7. Certified copy as per rules.

Sd/-

(Sharad Kumar Gupta)
JUDGE

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