

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.14270 of 2020

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-26 Year-2020 Thana- BISFI District- Madhubani

Sanjit Ray, Son of Ramchandra Ray @ Maheshwar Ray, Resident of Dhubauli
Sube, Godanpatti, Gaighat, P.S.-Gaighat, District-Muzaffarpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Ravindra Kumar Singh, Advocate.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Pronoti Singh, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJENDRA KUMAR
MISHRA**

ORAL ORDER

2 14-08-2020 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the
learned A.P.P. for the State.

The petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection
with Bisfi P.S. Case No. 26 of 2020, registered under Sections
272 and 273 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 30(a) of the
Bihar Excise Act, 2016, pending in the court of Additional
Sessions Judge-II-cum-Special Judge, Excise Act, Madhubani.

The accusation is that in course of patrolling duty
when the informant and other police personnel reached at Balha
Ghat then a car bearing registration no. BR-06BG-4891 was
seen in fast speed. On chased, driver of the said car succeeded to
flee away leaving the car. On search of the said car, 120 bottles
each containing 375 ml and 40 bottles each containing 180 ml



Indian made foreign liquor were recovered.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that while this petitioner is the owner of the seized car bearing registration no. BR-06BG-4891 but at that time, the said car was driving by the driver and the petitioner had no knowledge about keeping the illicit liquor in his car. Further submission is that petitioner has no criminal antecedent.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case and the seized illicit liquor was recovered from the car of the petitioner, I am not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, his prayer for grant of anticipatory bail stands rejected. The petitioner is directed to surrender before the trial court within four weeks and pray for regular bail, which would be considered by the trial court in accordance with law without being prejudiced by the order of this Court.

(Rajendra Kumar Mishra, J)

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