

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.15285 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-163 Year-2020 Thana- MAKER District- Saran

RAJEEV RANJAN S/o Late Jitendra Kumar Patel R/o Village- Bakhara, P.S.-
Saraiya, District- Muzaffarpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Shashi Bhushan Kumar, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Akshay Lal Pandit, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

2 09-07-2021 Heard Mr. Shashi Bhushan Kumar, learned counsel
for the petitioner and Mr. Akshay Lal Pandit, Additional Public
Prosecutor for the State through video conferencing.

2. Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Maker PS Case No. 163/2020 registered for the offence
punishable under Sections 272, 273, 414, 120(B) of the IPC and
Section 30/30(a) of Bihar Prohibition & Excise Act 2016.

3. The prosecution case is that the police on the basis
of secret information proceeded towards the place of occurrence
and upon seeing the police party the accused persons started
fleeing away and petitioner along with other accused persons
were arrested and the police recovered 315 litres of illicit liquor
from the two motorcycles parked at the place of occurrence.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the



petitioner has not committed any offence in the manner alleged and he has falsely been implicated in this case by the police with oblique motive. Learned counsel further submits that no illicit liquor has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner and the motorcycles, from where recovery has been made, do not belong to the petitioner. Learned counsel next submits that petitioner having no criminal antecedents is in custody since 14.12.2020 and the charge-sheet has also been submitted in the matter and there is no likelihood that petitioner will abscond or will tamper with the evidences if he is released on bail.

5. Having regard to the submissions made by the parties and taking into consideration the material on record and the fact that petitioner having no criminal antecedent is in custody since 14.12.2020 and the charge-sheet has also been submitted in the matter and there is no likelihood that the petitioner will abscond or will tamper with the evidences if he is released on bail, I am inclined to grant regular bail to the petitioner.

6. Accordingly, let the petitioner, RAJEEV RANJAN 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 2nd Additional Sessions Judge-cum-Special Judge, Excise, Saran in connection with Maker PS Case No. 163/2020.

7. It is made clear that at the time of furnishing bail bonds, all the parties shall follow the guidelines of social/physical distancing and sporting masks.

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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