

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.23877 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-378 Year-2020 Thana- DALSINGHSARAI District- Samastipur

PRAVEENDRA SINGH Son of Gurprit Singh Resident of Village -
Dipsinghwala, P.S.- Shadiq, District - Faridkot, State - Punjab

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Mahendra Pratap, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Umanath Mishra, APp

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S. KUMAR

ORAL ORDER

(The proceedings of the Court are being conducted through Video
Conferencing and the Advocates joined the proceedings through
Video Conferencing from their residence.)

3 23-06-2021

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Petitioner seeks bail in a case registered for the
offence punishable under Sections 420,467,468,471,120(B) of
Indian Penal Code and Sections 30(a) and 41(1) of the Bihar
Prohibition & Excise Act, 2016.

Allegation is recovery of 2691 litres of foreign
liquor from a truck which was being driven by the petitioner.

It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner that
petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this
case. Petitioner has no criminal antecedent and he is in custody
since 12.12.2020.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case

and also the fact there is huge recovery of foreign liquor from the truck which was being driven by the petitioner, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail at this stage. Hence, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is hereby rejected. However, since petitioner has no criminal antecedent, he may renew his prayer for bail after one year of custody.

(S. Kumar, J)

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