

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.34177 of 2021**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-331 Year-2019 Thana- GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL COMP.
District- Siwan

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PRADEEP SINGH @ MINTU SINGH @ MANTOO SINGH Son of Bharat
Singh Resident of Village- Harnathpur, P.S.- Raghunathpur, District- Siwan.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Bijay Prakash Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Ms.Renu Kumari, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 13-12-2021 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the

learned A.P.P. for the State.

The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Excise Case No .C-III-331 of 2019 for the offence registered
under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition & Excise
(Amendment) Act, 2018.

The allegation is regarding recovery of 169.2 litres of
illicit liquor from the house of the co-accused persons and upon
being interrogated they are stated to have disclosed the name of
the petitioner to be one of their accomplice.

The learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted
that the petitioner is innocent, has been falsely implicated in the
present case and he is languishing in custody since 08.03.2021.
The learned counsel for the petitioner has further submitted that



the illicit liquor has not been recovered from the house of the petitioner.

Per contra, Ms. Renu Kumari, learned APP for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and taking into account the materials available on record as also considering the fact that the illicit liquor has not been recovered from the house of the petitioner, I deem it fit and proper to direct for release of the petitioner herein on regular bail.

Accordingly, the petitioner, above named, is directed to 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 District and Sessions Judge cum Special Judge, Excise, Siwan in connection with Excise Case No. C-III-331 of 2019.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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