

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.37685 of 2021**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-142 Year-2020 Thana- DEWARIA District- Muzaffarpur

PANKAJ RAY Son of Late Lakhi Ray @ Lakhindar Ray Resident of Village -  
Fatehabad, P.S.- Paroo, District - Muzaffarpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Raju Kumar

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      08-12-2021                      Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned  
APP for the State.

Petitioner seeks bail in connection Deoria P.S. Case no.  
142 of 2020 registered for the offence punishable under sections  
272, 273 and 414/34 of the Indian Penal Code read with section  
30(a) of Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the  
petitioner is in custody since 09.04.2021 and charge sheet has  
been submitted and allegation of recovery of 180 liter liquor  
from Alto car of which petitioner is alleged to be driver. Learned  
counsel submits that car does not belong to him and he is merely  
driver and thus, was not aware what is being carried in the car.

Learned APP opposes the prayer for bail.

Considering the facts that petitioner is in jail custody



since 9.4.2021 and charge sheet has been submitted, petitioner is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs 5,000/- (five thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the Special Judge, Excise Act, Muzaffarpur in Deoria P.S. Case no. 142 of 2020.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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