

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.32872 of 2020**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-609 Year-2020 Thana- MADHAURAH District- Saran

Ranjit Rai @ Ranjit Kumar Ray, aged about 32 years, Gender-Male, S/o Rampukar Rai, resident of Station Road Pakaha, P.S.- Marhowrah, District-Saran at Chapra

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Dewendra Narayan Singh, Advocate
For the State :

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE AHSANUDDIN AMANULLAH
ORAL JUDGMENT**

Date : 12-03-2021

Heard Mr. Devendra Narayan Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner. Nobody appears on behalf of the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends arrest in connection with Marhowrah PS Case No. 609 of 2020 dated 08.07.2020, instituted under Sections 30 and 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

3. The allegation against the petitioner is that from the place where the police effected recovery of 135 litres of raw spirit, the petitioner and other two co-accused fled away after seeing the police.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that he has not been arrested and there is no recovery from his possession or from his house. It was submitted that the



petitioner has no connection with the said recovered spirit.

5. Having perused the records, it transpires that the petitioner is accused in two other cases of the year 2017, under Sections 188, 272, 273, 308 of the Indian Penal Code as also the Excise Act.

6. Having considered the facts and circumstances of the case and submissions of learned counsel for the parties, the Court is not inclined to grant pre-arrest bail to the petitioner.

7. Accordingly, the application stands dismissed.

(Ahsanuddin Amanullah, J)

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