

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.46159 of 2021**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-18 Year-2020 Thana- MEHANDIA District- Jehanabad

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SANJAY RAJ Son of Late Maheshwar Singh Resident of Village- Chardhua,
P.S.- Kurhani, (Turki O.P.), District- Muzaffarpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Arun Kumar

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Dashrath Mehta

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER**

2 16-11-2021 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the State.

Petitioner seeks regular bail in a case registered for the offence punishable under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

As per the prosecution case, 2414.475 liters of foreign liquor was recovered from a truck.

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. Petitioner's name has figured during course of investigation in confessional statement of co-accused. Petitioner is neither owner nor the driver of the vehicle. No incriminating material has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner and he is no way concerned with the alleged recovery. Petitioner claims clean antecedent. Petitioner is in



custody since 13.6.2021. Investigation is complete.

Learned counsel appearing for the State opposes the prayer for bail.

Considering the rival submissions of the parties, materials available on the record and the period of custody of the petitioner, let the petitioner, above named, 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 the Additional Sessions Judge II cum Special Judge, Excise Act, Jehanabad in Mahendia Police Station Case No. 18 of 2020, excise case no. 248 of 2020.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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