

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.49885 of 2021**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-269 Year-2020 Thana- GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL COMP.
District- East Champaran

MANPRIT SINGH, aged about 30 years, Male, son of Sh. Jasvindra Singh,
Resident of Village - Jaggi Colony, House No.-411, P.S.- Rajpura City, Distt.-
Patiyala (Punjab).

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar.

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Manoj Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Tarkeshwar Nath Thakur, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHAKRADHARI SHARAN
SINGH**

ORAL ORDER

2 08-09-2021 This matter has been taken up for hearing online
because of COVID-19 pandemic restrictions.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

This application for regular bail arises out of
Excise Case No. 269 of 2020 (Trial No. 112 of 2021), registered
for the offence punishable under Sections 30(a), 30(d), 36, 38
and 41(1) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2018.

There are six persons named in the F.I.R., who
were arrested by the Police consequent upon recovery of 1200
litres of spirit loaded in a truck, 1800 litres loaded in a pick-up
van, 600 litres from another pick-up van and 5200 litres from
the godown. The petitioner was the driver of the truck from
which recovery of 1200 litres of spirit was made by the excise



officials. The petitioner is in custody since 20.08.2020. It has been stated in the application that the petitioner has no criminal antecedent.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that all other co-accused persons have been allowed regular bail by this Court by different orders.

Considering the aforesaid submission and the petitioner is in custody since 20.08.2020, this application is allowed. Let the petitioner, above-named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/-(ten thousand), with two sureties of the like amount, each to the satisfaction of learned 2nd Additional Sessions Judge-cum- Special Judge, Excise, East Champaran at Motihari, in Excise Case No. 269 of 2020 (Trial No.112 of 2021).

This is subject to the condition that the petitioner shall present himself before the Police / Court, as the case may be, as and when required and in the event of failure on his part to appear before the court on two consecutive occasions, his bail bond shall be liable to be cancelled.

(Chakradhari Sharan Singh, J)

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