

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.37722 of 2020

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-366 Year-2020 Thana- NARPATGANJ District- Araria

Parmod Mandal, S/o Pratham Mandal R/o Simrahi, Ward No. 03, P.S.-
Raghopur, District- Supaul

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Rama Kant Singh
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 05-02-2021 Heard Mr. Deepak Kumar, learned counsel for

the petitioner and Mr. Ram Priya Sharan Singh, learned

APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with

Narpatganj (Ghurna) P. S. Case No. 366 of 2020 dated

18.08.2020, instituted for offence under Section 30(a)

of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

It appears that 827 litres of liquor was

recovered from a vehicle which was being driven by the

petitioner.

The learned counsel for the petitioner has

submitted that he is the driver of one Rajendra Sharma,



who is the owner of the vehicle, who too was sitting in the said vehicle. The petitioner had no idea that his owner was carrying liquor in the vehicle which was being driven by him.

The petitioner is in custody since 18.08.2020 with no criminal antecedents.

Considering the afore-stated facts, the petitioner, above-named, is directed to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds in the sum of Rs. 10,000 /- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned ADJ-II cum Special Judge (Excise), Araria, in connection with Narpatganj (Ghurna) P. S. Case No. 366 of 2020.

The petition stands allowed.

(Ashutosh Kumar, J)

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