

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.1032 of 2021**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-256 Year-2015 Thana- GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL COMP.  
District- Jamui

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BACHCHU SAH @ BACHCHU LAL SAW, S/o Late Suman Sah @ Musan  
Saw R/o village- Shahpur, P.S. and Distt.- Jamui

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Prabhat Ranjan Singh  
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.A.G

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE NAWNEET KUMAR  
PANDEY**

**ORAL ORDER**

2      29-10-2021                      Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner.

Petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection with  
Case No. 256 C2/2015, registered for the offence punishable  
under Section 47(a) of the Excise Act.

As per allegation, the ASI, Excise, Jamui conducted  
raid in the shop of the petitioner and recovered 4 litres of liquor  
in 20 bottles of 200 ml each. The petitioner, as per allegation,  
fled away at the time of raid.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that  
the occurrence is of 2015, as such, newly enacted Bihar  
Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016 is not applicable in this case.  
He has further submitted that the alleged shop was not  
belonging to the petitioner. He has also submitted even the

summons has not been served upon the petitioner.

The allegation shows itself that the petitioner fled away from the occurrence when the raid was being conducted and the case is of the year 2015, as such, I am not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Accordingly, the prayer for anticipatory bail is hereby rejected.

**(Nawneet Kumar Pandey , J)**

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