

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.7935 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-137 Year-2020 Thana- CHAND District- Kaimur (Bhabua)

Imam Raza @ Chand, Son of Mohammad Raza, Resident Of Village - Tumba,
P.S. - Akbarpur, District - Rohtas (sasaram).

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Anil Chandra- Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Nawal Kishore Prasad- A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

2 17-04-2021 Heard Mr. Anil Chandra, learned counsel

appearing for the petitioner and Mr. Nawal Kishore Prasad,

learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the State

through video conferencing.

Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with

Chand P. S. Case No.137 of 2020 registered for the offence

punishable under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and

Excise (Amendment) Act, 2018.

The allegation as per the first information report

that the police intercepted a Scorpio vehicle, which was

being driven by the petitioner and recovered a total quantity

of 86.400 litres of illicit foreign liquor.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that



the petitioner has not committed any offence in the manner alleged and has falsely been implicated in this case with oblique motive. Learned counsel next submits that the petitioner is the driver of the vehicle and the vehicle was being plied on the instruction of its owner. Petitioner is the driver and he was not aware of the illicit liquor being kept therein. Learned counsel next submits that petitioner has got no criminal antecedent and he is in custody since 08.10.2020. The charge-sheet has already been submitted in the matter.

Having regard to the submissions made by the parties and taking into consideration the materials on record and the fact that the petitioner has got no criminal antecedent and he is in custody since 08.10.2020, I am inclined to grant regular bail to the petitioner.

Accordingly, 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 Additional Sessions Judge-V-cum-Special Judge Excise, Kaimur, Bhabhua in connection with Chand P. S. Case No.137 of 2020.



It is made clear that at the time of furnishing
bail bonds all the parties shall follow the guidelines
regarding social distancing.

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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