

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.15123 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-50 Year-2021 Thana- BACHHWARA District- Begusarai

RAJAGOP RAI Son of Late Swarath Rai Resident of Village- Ranipur, P.S.-
Bachhwara, District- Begusarai.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Jai Prakash Singh, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Braj Kishore Prasad, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

2 22-07-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State through virtual Court proceedings.

The petitioner apprehends his arrest in a case registered for the offences punishable under Sections 30(a), 32(2) and 41 of the Bihar Excise Act.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is a person with clean antecedent and allegation is of recovery of 540 litres of liquor from a pickup van and 63 litres of liquor from a Maruti car.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was not apprehended from the spot as such nothing was recovered from his conscious possession, it is next submitted that the petitioner is neither the owner nor the driver of the aforesaid vehicles and he came to be implicated at the



instance of local *chowkidar* with whom he is on an inimical term on account of village politics.

Learned A.P.P. for the State opposes the prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioner.

Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petitioner above-named, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of six weeks from today, be released on anticipatory bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 3,000/- (Rupees Three Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned court below where the case is pending/successor court in connection with Bachhwara P.S. Case No. 50 of 2021 subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438 (2) of the Cr.P.C.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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