

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.16650 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-14 Year-2022 Thana- MADHAURAH District- Saran

CHOTU KUMAR @ CHOTU MAHTO S/O SHIV NATH MAHTO R/o
village- Piarpurwa, P.S.- Marhowrah (Madhaura), District- Saran (Chapra)

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Mukesh Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mrs.Veena Kumari Jaiswal, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 08-04-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP
for the State through virtual mode.

Counsel for the petitioner is directed to remove the
defect(s), as pointed out by the office, within a period of four weeks.

The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in a case
registered under Sections 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise
Act, 2016.

The prosecution case, in short, is that 25 liters wine is
recovered.

It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner that the
petitioner has got no criminal antecedent and there is no allegation of
tampering of witnesses alleged against the petitioner. The petitioner
has falsely been implicated in this case. The name of the petitioner
has transpired in this case on the basis of disclosure made by the
local residents as per F.I.R. The names of local residents, who have



named the petitioner, have not been disclosed by the prosecution. Except for this, there is no other substantive evidence to suggest the implication of the petitioner in this case. It is alleged that 25 liters wine is recovered from the side of the road. The petitioner had no knowledge regarding the alleged incident. Nothing incriminating has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. There is no compliance of Section 100 Cr.P.C.

On behalf of the State, it is submitted that the petitioner is named in the complaint case/F.I.R.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the petitioner, above named, in the event of arrest or surrender before the learned court below within a period of twelve weeks from today, be released on anticipatory bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Additional Sessions Judge-cum-Special Judge, Excise, Saran, Chapra in connection with Madhaura P.S. case No.14 of 2022, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Narendra/-

(Sudhir Singh, J)

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