

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.18356 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-234 Year-2020 Thana- BHAGWANPUR District- Begusarai

JITENDRA KUMAR @ GARIB JHA Son of Late Maksudan Jha Resident of
Village - Birpur, P.S. - Birpur, District - Begusarai.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Pushpendra Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Khurshid Anwar, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 22-04-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP
for the State through virtual mode.

Learned 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 Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise
Act, 2016.

The prosecution case, in short, is that 18 liters wine is
recovered.

It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner that there
is no allegation of tampering of witnesses alleged against the
petitioner. It is alleged that 18 liters wine is recovered from back side
of the house of co-accused. The name of the petitioner has transpired
on the basis of disclosure made by the co-accused. Except for this,



there is no other substantive evidence to suggest the implication of the petitioner in this case. Nothing incriminating has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner had no knowledge regarding the alleged incident. There is no compliance of Section 100 Cr.P.C. Learned counsel for the petitioner has placed reliance upon the order dated 13.04.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Criminal Appeal No. 626 of 2022 (Sweta Kumari versus State of Bihar).

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

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, let the petitioner, above named, in the event of arrest/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/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Exclusive Special Excise Judge-1, Begusarai in connection with Begusarai P.S. Case No. 234 of 2020, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

(Sudhir Singh, J)

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