

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.20908 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-24 Year-2021 Thana- GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL COMP.
District- Saran

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Puja Ranjan, W/O Rajiv Ranjan Resident Of Kashipur Chak, P.S.- Raja Pakar,
Distt.- Vaishali

... .. Petitioner/S

Versus

The State Of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Amresh Kumar Sinha
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Surendra Prasad Singh

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

2 28-09-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in anticipation of her arrest
in a case registered for the offences punishable under Section
30(a) of the Excise Act, 2016.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is a person with clean antecedent and is a woman and
the allegation is of recovery of 97.200 litres of liquor from a
Maruti Suzuki vehicle.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner was not arrested from the spot, as such, nothing was
recovered from her conscious possession. It is next submitted
that she was implicated merely because she is owner of the car.



It is also submitted that her husband was driving the vehicle and he uses the car from which the alleged recovery was made and petitioner came to be implicated merely because the car is registered in her name.

The learned Additional Public Prosecutor opposes the anticipatory bail application.

Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petitioner, above-named, in the event of her arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of six weeks from today, is directed to be released on bail on her furnishing bail-bonds in the sum of Rs. 1,000/- (Rupees One Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Court below where the case is pending in connection with Excise Case No.24 of 2021, subject to the conditions laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

The application stands allowed.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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