

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.31769 of 2022**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-106 Year-2020 Thana- JALALPUR District- Saran

SANTOSH KUMAR SINGH @ SANTOSH SINGH S/o Late Dhrupati Singh  
R/o Village Kumna, P.S.- Kopa, District - Saran at Chapra.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Dewendra Narayan Singh, Adv.  
For the Opposite Party/s : Mrs.Sharda Kumari, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      09-09-2022      Heard the parties through virtual court proceedings.

Learned counsel for the petitioner undertakes to remove the defects within four weeks of resumption of normal court proceedings. In the eventuality of non-removal of defects within stipulated period, office will place the matter before the Bench.

Petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection with a case registered for the offence punishable u/s 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

Altogether 80 litres of country made liquor is said to have been recovered from the motorcycle of the petitioner and it is alleged that he fled away from the spot.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is quite innocent and has not committed any offence as alleged in the FIR. Petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case at



the instance of his enemies. His name transpired in this case on the basis that he is owner of the said motorcycle. Petitioner has neither been apprehended on the spot nor any incriminating article has been recovered from his conscious physical possession. He has no concern either with the seized liquor or any trade of liquor. Although the motorcycle belongs to the petitioner but on the alleged date of recovery, he has visited village of a relative and in the night, parked the motorcycle near the chimney, where labourers used to stay. Petitioner has no criminal antecedent, as also mentioned in para-3 of this application.

Petitioner is agreed to deposit a sum of Rs. 10,000.00/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) in the Patna High Court Legal Services Committee, Patna bearing Account No.1413010060836, IFSC PUNB0141320, Punjab National Bank, Bar Council Branch, Patna.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, let the petitioner, named above, in the event of his arrest/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.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five 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 Jalalpur P.S. Case No.106 of 2020, subject to the condition as laid down under Section 438 (2) of the Cr.P.C, as also the following conditions.

(1) That one of the bailors will be a close relative of the petitioner, who will give an affidavit giving genealogy as to how he is related with the petitioner. He will also undertake to inform the Court if there is any change in the address of the petitioner.

(2) The bailor shall also state on affidavit that he will inform the Court concerned if the petitioner is implicated in any other case of similar nature and thereafter the Court below will be at liberty to initiate proceeding for cancellation of anticipatory bail on the ground of misuse.

The bail bond of the petitioner shall be accepted by the learned Court below on showing receipt of deposit of Rs.10,000.00/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) in the Patna High Court Legal Services Committee.

**(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)**

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