

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.41093 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-18 Year-2021 Thana- GAIGHAT District- Muzaffarpur

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AMIT RAI @ AMIT KUMAR Son of Sukhdeo Rai Resident of Village-
Hattha, P.S.- Piar (Hattha O.P.), District- Muzaffarpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Anshu Dhar Sharma

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Meena Singh

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN
ORAL ORDER

2 07-01-2022 Heard the parties through virtual mode.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to remove the defects as pointed out by the office, within four weeks of resumption of normal court proceedings. In the eventuality of non-removal of defects within the undertaken period, the office will place the matter before the Bench.

Petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection with a case registered for the offence punishable under sections 272, 273, 414, 34 of the IPC and section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

Altogether 1037 liters of foreign liquor is said to have been recovered from a D.C.M. Truck. It is alleged that petitioner and other accused persons 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. He has been falsely implicated in this case on mere suspicion. He has neither been apprehended on the spot nor any incriminating article has been recovered from his conscious physical possession. His name transpired in the case on the basis of the disclosure of the name made by the chowkidar. He is neither the driver nor owner of the said vehicle. Allegation against the petitioner is that seeing the police, he fled away from the spot but his name was disclosed by the chowkidar which is suspicious as the FIR itself shows that there was darkness. Petitioner has no concern either with the seized liquor or any trade of liquor and he has no criminal antecedent, as also mentioned in para-3 of the bail application.

Petitioner is agreed to deposit a sum of Rs. 50,000.00/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand) in the Bihar Kishore Nyay Nidhi, Apna Ghar, Near Lalit Bhawan, Bailey Road Patna, bearing Saving Account No. 35094613009, State Bank of India, Branch Name Patna Secretariat Sinchai Bhawan, Branch Code- 153, IFSC Code-SBIN0000153.

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 Gayaghat P.S. Case No.18/2021, subject to the condition as laid down under Section 438 (2) of the Cr.P.C, as also the following conditions.

(1) 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 petitioner. He will also undertake to inform the Court if there is any change in the address of 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.50,000.00/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand) in the Bihar Kishore Nyay Nidhi, Patna.

(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)

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