

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.33404 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-445 Year-2021 Thana- MINAPUR District- Muzaffarpur

MANJAY KUMAR @ MANJAY ROY Son of Suresh Singh @ Suresh Prasad Singh Resident of Village - Bishunpur Pandey, P.s.- Minapur, Distt.- Muzaffarpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Arvind Kumar, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Ajay Kumar No. 2, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN
ORAL ORDER

2 09-09-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP for the State 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 undertaken 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 272, 273, 414, 420, 120(B) IPC and 30(a) of Bihar Prohibition & Excise Act, 2016.

Altogether 5360.640 liters of foreign liquor is said to have been recovered from a mini van. The police apprehended five persons from the spot and they disclosed the name of petitioner.

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 due to ulterior motive. His name transpired in the case because of the statement of apprehended persons. Petitioner has neither been apprehended on the spot nor any incriminating article has been recovered from his conscious physical possession. Petitioner has no concern either with the seized liquor or any trade of liquor. Petitioner has no concern with the said vehicles. Petitioner has no criminal antecedent.

Petitioner is agreed to deposit a sum of Rs.75,000/- (Rupees Seventy Five 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 Minapur P.S. Case No.445 of 2021, 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.75,000/- (Rupees Seventy Five Thousand) in the Patna High Court Legal Services Committee.

(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)

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