

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.50093 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-683 Year-2020 Thana- BIHTA District- Patna

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RANJEET PASWAN S/o Shiv Buti Paswan, R/o Village- Agiawn, P.S.-
Agiawn, District- Bhojpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. N. K. Agrawal, Sr. Advocate
		Mr. Kumar Rajdeep, Advocate
		Mr. Arvind Kumar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s :		Mr. Bharat Lal, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DR. ANSHUMAN
ORAL ORDER

6 28-09-2022 Let the defect(s), if any, be removed within two weeks
from today.

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Bihta (Neura) P.S. Case No. 683 of 2020 lodged under Sections
8, 20(ii)(C), 25 and 29 of the N.D.P.S. Act.

As per prosecution, total 2570.400 kg. of *ganja* were
recovered in this case.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
antecedent of the petitioner is clean and he is in custody since
14.09.2020. Vide order dated 20.04.2022 this case has been put
on alongwith Cr. Misc. No. 43587 of 2021 arising from same

Bihata P.S. Case No.683 of 2020.

Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for bail and submits that the present petitioner is co-driver of the truck on which the alleged *ganja* has recovered.

Considering the quantity of recovery which is more than the commercial quantity of NDPS substance, I am not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, the prayer for bail is hereby rejected. The Trial Court is directed to conclude the trial expeditiously.

The Superintendent of Police, Patna is directed to take all the steps to produce the prosecution witnesses on each and every date fixed by the Court.

Office is directed to communicate the said order along with order dated 07.04.2022 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 43587 of 2021 to the Superintendent of Police, Patna for perusal and necessary action.

With this observation, the bail application stands rejected.

(Dr. Anshuman, J.)

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