

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.49305 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-48 Year-2022 Thana- RAFIGANJ District- Aurangabad

Raja Chaudhary S/o Mahendra Chaudhary Resident of Village- Ahmadpur
Charkawa, P.S.- Rafiganj, District- Aurangabad. (Bihar)

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Bhaskar Shankar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Pushpa Sinha.1, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

2 27-09-2022 Heard learned counsel appearing on behalf of the
petitioner and learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State.

Let the defect(s), if any, be removed within a period
of four weeks from today.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Rafiganj
P.S. Case No. 48 of 2022 registered for the offence under
Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2018.

The accused/petitioner is named in the F.I.R. and is in
custody since 30.05.2022.

The allegation against the petitioner is to be engaged
in illegal trading/manufacturing of illicit liquor, where, there is
recovery of 120 litres of IMFL/country made liquor.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner
submitted that name of petitioner surfaced in present case on the



basis of secret input as provided by police spy and admittedly, there is no recovery of illicit liquor from conscious physical possession of this petitioner. While concluding the argument, it is submitted that investigation of this case is complete, where charge-sheet has been submitted, as such, there is no chance of tampering with the evidence.

Learned APP, opposes the prayer of bail.

Considering the facts and circumstances as mentioned above, as no recovery of illicit liquor appears to be made from the conscious physical possession of the petitioner coupled with the fact that charge-sheet has been submitted, let the petitioner, above named, is directed to be released on bail in connection with Rafiganj P.S. Case No. 48 of 2022 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Special Judge, Excise, First, Aurangabad/concerned court, subject to the conditions as mentioned under Section 437(3) of the Cr.P.C.

(Chandra Shekhar Jha, J)

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