

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.58601 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-162 Year-2021 Thana- BHAGWANPUR District- Begusarai

RANJEEV CHAUDHARI @ RANJEEV KUMAR CHAUDHARY Son of Jai
Deo Chaudhari @ Jaydev Chaudhary Resident of Village - Godhana, Police
Station - Bachhwara, District - Begusarai.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Bipin Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Md. Anbzarul Haque Sahara, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 23-05-2022 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the

State.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with
Bhagwanpur P.S. Case No. 162 of 2021 dated 06.08.2021
instituted for the offence under Section 120(B) of the Indian
Penal Code and Sections 30(a), 41(1)(2) of the Bihar Prohibition
& Excise (Amendment) Act, 2018.

It appears from the prosecution report that 840.96
litres of liquor was recovered from several vehicles. The
petitioner appears to have been arrested on the spot.

However, it is the contention of the petitioner that he
has wrongly been identified to be the member of the gang which
was carrying the liquor in different vehicles. The petitioner was



a bystander at the time of raid but on a mistaken identity he has been arrested.

Be that as it may taking into account his period of custody in this case which is from 07.08.2021 and he has been made accused in a case of similar nature which was lodged on the same day as the subject FIR, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds in the sum of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Additional District Judge-II-cum-Special Judge, Excise act, Begusarai in connection with Bhagwanpur P.S. Case No. 162 of 2021.

(Ashutosh Kumar, J)

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