

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.61141 of 2021

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-239 Year-2021 Thana- BAISI District- Purnia

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BINOD MEHTA @ BINOD MOHTA @ BINOD KUMAR MEHTA S/o Shiv
Narayan Mehta Resident of Village- Laxmipur, Bhagatpur, P.S.- Srinagar,
District- Madhepura (Bihar)

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Anil Prasad Singh

For the Opposite Party/s : Ms. Pronoti Singh

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

2 28-01-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State through video conferencing.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Baisi P. S.
Case No.239 of 2021 corresponding to Special Excise Case
No.284 of 2021, instituted for the offences under Sections 272,
273 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 30(a), 41, 47 of the
Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is in custody since 20.08.2021, he is a person with
clean antecedent and charge-sheet has been submitted in the
case.

Allegation is of recovery of 198 litre of foreign liquor
from ambulance in which petitioner was also present.



The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is the cleaner of the ambulance and as such, was knowing what was loaded in the ambulance.

The learned A.P.P. for the State opposes the bail application.

Considering the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 20.08.2021, he is a person with clean antecedent, charge-sheet has been submitted in the case and was a cleaner of the ambulance, the petitioner, above-named, is directed to be released on bail on his furnishing bail-bonds in the sum of Rs. 5,000/- (Rupees Five Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Special Judge, Excise, Purnea in connection with Baisi P. S. Case No.239 of 2021 corresponding to Special Excise Case No.284 of 2021.

The application stands allowed.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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