

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.52121 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-112 Year-2022 Thana- KHAJEKALA District- Patna

Raja Kumar Son Of Murati Rai R/O Norujar Ghat, P.S.- Khajekallan, Dist.- Patna

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.Rajesh Mohan, Advocate
	:	Mr. Tilak Sao, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s	:	Mr.Anil Kumar Singh, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

2 13-10-2022 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 Khajekalan P.S. Case No. 112 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 19.04.2022.

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



Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submitted that alleged illicit liquor was recovered from concrete road, which is accessible by general public and as such it cannot be said that recovery of illicit liquor was made from conscious physical possession of this petitioner, who is a man of clean antecedent and moreover, investigation of this case has been completed, 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 recovery of illicit liquor not appears from conscious physical possession of this 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 Khajekalan P.S. Case No. 112 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, Patna City, Patna/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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