

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.2468 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-277 Year-2022 Thana- MANIYARI District- Muzaffarpur

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VIJAY SAHNI S/O PRABHU SAHNI Resident of village- Ratnauli, P.S.-
Maniyari, District- Muzaffarpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Hans Lal Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Suresh Prasad Singh, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SHAILENDRA SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 26-04-2023 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and

the learned APP for the State.

2. Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection

with Maniyari P.S. Case No.277 of 2022 dated 24.08.2022

registered for the offence punishable under Section 30(a) of the

Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. The main submissions advanced by the

learned counsel for the petitioner are that co-accused Shiv

Shankar Shani is stated to have been arrested at the spot but the

petitioner was not apprehended at the spot and his name

surfaced in the statement of the said co-accused and the instant

matter relates to a recovery of 32.400 litres of foreign liquor and

the petitioner has been languishing in jail since 16.10.2022 and

against him there is a criminal antecedent of one case in which



he is on bail.

4. Learned APP appearing for the State has opposed the bail prayer.

5. Considering the above submissions and mainly the fact that the petitioner's name surfaced in the statement of co-accused Shiv Shankar Shani who was arrested at the spot and against the petitioner the investigation has been completed, in the opinion of this Court a lenient approach can be taken in respect of the petitioner's prayer, let the petitioner be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/-(Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the concerned Court in connection with Maniyari P.S. Case No.277 of 2022.

(Shailendra Singh, J)

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