

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.4151 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-302 Year-2022 Thana- NAANPUR District- Sitamarhi

Surendra Rai S/O Shivshankar Rai Resident of village- Bath Asli Tole
Hasanpur, P.S.- Nanpur, District- Sitamarhi.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

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

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Lakshmi Kant Sharma, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR VERMA
ORAL ORDER

2 26-04-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is permitted to
remove the defect(s), as pointed out by the office, if any, within
a period of four weeks from today.

Petitioner seeks bail who is in custody since
22.11.2022 in connection with Nanpur P.S. Case No. 302 of
2022, F.I.R. dated 13.07.2022 for the offences punishable under
Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

Recovery is of 99 liters of illicit liquor.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner has clean antecedent and he has falsely been
implicated in the present case merely on the basis that the
recovery has been made from the land of the petitioner. He



further submits that it appears from the seizure list that nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner rather the recovery has been made from the field of the petitioner. He further submits that the petitioner has no concern at all with the alleged recovery of the illicit liquor. He further submits that the police after investigation submitted the charge sheet against the petitioner. The petitioner is in custody since 22.11.2022.

The learned Additional Public Prosecutor has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances and the fact that the petitioner has clean antecedent, let the petitioner, above named, 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 learned Special Judge, Exclusive Excise Court-II, Sitamarhi in connection with Nanpur P.S. Case No. 302 of 2022, subject to the following conditions:-

1. Petitioner shall co-operate in the trial and shall be properly represented on each and every date fixed by the court and shall remain physically present as directed by the court and on his absence on two



consecutive dates without sufficient reason, his bail bond shall be cancelled by the Court below.

2. If the petitioner tampers with the evidence or the witnesses, in that case, the prosecution will be at liberty to move for cancellation of bail.

3. And further condition that the court below shall verify the criminal antecedent of the petitioner and in case at any stage it is found that the petitioner has concealed his criminal antecedent, the court below shall take step for cancellation of bail bond of the petitioner. However, the acceptance of bail bonds in terms of the above-mentioned order shall not be delayed for purpose of or in the name of verification.

(Rajesh Kumar Verma, J)

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