

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.3477 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-373 Year-2022 Thana- JAGDISHPUR District- Bhojpur

RAVI SHANKAR Son of Ramjee Thakur Resident of Village- Ashani
(Jaitpur), P.S.- Jagdishpur, District- Bhojpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rajani Ranjan Pd. Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Chandra Bhushan Prasad, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

4 22-05-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

The petitioner apprehends his arrest in a case registered for the offence punishable under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise (Amendment) Act, 2018.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is a person with clean antecedent.

Allegation is of recovery of 80 litres of liquor from a motorcycle.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner was not arrested from the spot, as such, nothing was recovered from his conscious possession and he came to be implicated as he is the owner of the motorcycle. It is further submitted that no prudent person would use his own vehicle for committing a crime and thus would create evidence against



himself and hence would get implicated when admittedly petitioner is a person with clean antecedent. It is next submitted that petitioner had given his motorcycle to one Mannu Singh and, as such, was not aware that he will misuse the vehicle in the manner as alleged.

Learned A.P.P. for the State opposes the prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioner.

Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petitioner above-named, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of six weeks from today, be released on anticipatory bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.1,000/- (Rupees One Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned court below where the case is pending/successor court in connection with Jagdishpur P.S. Case No. 373 of 2022, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438 (2) of the Cr.P.C.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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