

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.10412 of 2023**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-113 Year-2022 Thana- GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL COMP.  
District- Samastipur

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SANJEET KUMAR KUSHWAHA @ SANJEET KUMAR Son of  
Ramvirikcha Mahato R/V- Bhagwanpur, P.S- Sadar, Dist- Muzaffarpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Kumari Vandana, Adv.  
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Pushpa Sinha, APP

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      24-04-2023      Heard the parties.

Petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection with a case registered for the offence punishable u/s 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2018.

Altogether 909.990 litres of foreign liquor is said to have been recovered from the Bolero Pick Up van of the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is quite innocent and has not committed any offence as alleged in the FIR. Petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case at the instance of his enemies. His name transpired in this case on the basis that he is the owner of the said vehicle. Petitioner has neither been apprehended on the spot nor any incriminating article has been recovered from his conscious physical



possession. He has no concern either with the seized liquor or any trade of liquor. Although the vehicle belongs to the petitioner but the same is a commercial vehicle and used to be driven by the driver and petitioner has no knowledge of loading of any liquor on his vehicle. Petitioner has no criminal antecedent, as also mentioned in para-3 of the bail application.

Petitioner is agreed to deposit a sum of Rs.30,000.00/- (Rupees Thirty Thousand) in the Patna High Court Legal Services Committee, Patna bearing Account No.1413010060836, IFSC PUNB0141320, Punjab National Bank, Bar Council Branch, Patna.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, let the petitioner, named above, in the event of his arrest/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.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five 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 Excise Sadar P.S. Case No.113 of 2022, subject to the condition as laid down under Section 438 (2) of the Cr.P.C, as also the following conditions.

- (1) That one of the bailors will be a close relative of



the petitioner, who will give an affidavit giving genealogy as to how he is related with the petitioner. He will also undertake to inform the Court if there is any change in the address of the petitioner.

(2) The bailor shall also state on affidavit that he will inform the Court concerned if the petitioner is implicated in any other case of similar nature and thereafter the Court below will be at liberty to initiate proceeding for cancellation of anticipatory bail on the ground of misuse.

The bail bond of the petitioner shall be accepted by the learned Court below on showing receipt of deposit of Rs.30,000.00/- (Rupees Thirty Thousand) in the Patna High Court Legal Services Committee.

**(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)**

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