

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.14818 of 2023**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-138 Year-2022 Thana- SIMRI District- Darbhanga

Munna Sahni Son Of Binod Sahni @ Binda Sahni R/O Village- Kamrauli,  
P.S.- Simri, District- Darbhanga

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Girish Chandra Jha, Advocate  
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Prem Kumar Jha, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      03-05-2023                      Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP  
for the State.

The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in a case registered under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

The prosecution case, in short, is that 18 liters wine is recovered.

It has been submitted on behalf of the petitioner that the petitioner has got no criminal antecedent. There is no allegation of tampering of witnesses alleged against the petitioner. It is alleged that 18 liters wine is recovered from the Scooty vehicle. The name of the petitioner has transpired as being owner of the Scooty in question. The said Scooty has already been sold by the petitioner prior to the alleged occurrence to one Pervez Alam. Except for this, there is no other substantive evidence to suggest the implication of the petitioner



in this case. Nothing incriminating has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner had no knowledge regarding the alleged incident. There is no compliance of Section 100 Cr.P.C. Learned counsel for the petitioner has placed reliance upon the order dated 13.04.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Criminal Appeal No. 626 of 2022 (Sweta Kumari versus State of Bihar).

On behalf of the State, it is submitted that the petitioner is named in the F.I.R./complaint case.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, let the petitioner, above named, in the event of arrest/surrender before the learned court below within a period of twelve weeks from today, be released on anticipatory bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the Court below/concerned Court in connection with Simri P.S. case No. 138 of 2022, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

**(Sudhir Singh, J)**

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