

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.15036 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-949 Year-2022 Thana- BETTIAH CITY District- West
Champaran

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Arun Chaudhary @ Arun Kumar Chaudhary Son of Late Gaishlal Chaudhary
Resident of Village - Chhawani, Ward No.- 05, P.S.- Kalibag O.P., District -
West Champaran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance:

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Dhurendra Kumar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Tapeswar Sharma, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SHAILENDRA SINGH
ORAL ORDER

- 2 08-05-2023 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned
APP for the State.
2. Petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with Bettiah
Town (Kalibagh) P.S. Case No. 949 of 2022 dated 19.12.2022
registered for the offences punishable under Sections 272/273 of
IPC and Section 30(a) of Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.
3. The main submissions advanced by learned counsel for
petitioner are that the instant matter relates to the recovery of
22.5 litres of country made illicit liquor and the same is alleged
to have been recovered from the house of this petitioner, infact
the said house is in joint possession of the family members of
this petitioner and the recovered liquor was not found in the
conscious possession of this petitioner, though against the
petitioner there are criminal antecedent of three cases but he has

got bail in all the said cases and has been languishing in jail since 20.12.2022 and against him the investigation has been completed.

4. Learned APP for the State opposes the bail prayer of the petitioner.

5. Considering the above submissions and mainly the petitioner’s custody period and the completion of investigation against him, in my opinion, it is a fit case for bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, let the petitioner named above be enlarged on bail, **after framing of charge, if the same has not been framed**, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of concerned Court in connection with Bettiah Town (Kalibagh) P.S. Case No. 949 of 2022.

(Shailendra Singh, J)

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