

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.30240 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-286 Year-2020 Thana- BATHNAHA District- Sitamarhi

URMILA DEVI Wife of Sakal Dev Ray @ Thukaru Rai and mother of
Chandan Kumar @ Chandan Resident of village - Dostpur, P.S. - Bathnaha,
Distt. - Sitamarhi

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Pushpendra Kumar Singh, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Awadhesh Kumar Singh, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

2 19-05-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

The petitioner apprehends her arrest in a case
registered for the offences punishable under Section 30(a) of the
Bihar Excise Act.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is a woman having clean antecedent and allegation is
of recovery of 70.560 litres of liquor concealed in a heap of
husk near the house of Chandan Kumar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner was not apprehended from the spot as such nothing
was recovered from her conscious possession, it is next
submitted that the alleged recovery is from a place which does



not belong to the petitioner and is accessible to public at large and she came to be implicated based on suspicion, when admittedly she is a person with clean antecedent.

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 her 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 Bathnaha P.S. Case No. 286 of 2020 subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438 (2) of the Cr.P.C.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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