

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.32971 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-137 Year-2019 Thana- GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL COMP.
District- Muzaffarpur

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Ranjit Kumar @ Ranjeet Rai, Son Of Ram Padarath Rai Resident Of Village-
Manikpur Maksoodpur, Ps- Minapur, District- Muzaffarpur

... .. Petitioner/S

Versus

The State Of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Shashank Shekhar
For the Opposite Party/s : Ms.Gulnar Begum

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

2 25-05-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in anticipation of his arrest in
a case registered for the offences punishable under Section 30(a)
of the Excise Act.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner has antecedent of one case and the allegation is of
recovery of 2603.880 litres of liquor from a truck and a pick-up
van and two persons were arrested.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner was not arrested from the spot, as such, nothing was
recovered from his conscious possession. It is next submitted
that he came to be implicated based on confessional statement in



police custody, which does not have any evidentiary value and is not the owner of the seized vehicles.

Learned A.P.P. opposes the bail application.

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, is directed to be released on bail on his furnishing bail-bonds in the sum of Rs. 5,000/- (Rupees Five Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Exclusive Special Judge, Excise Court No.II, Muzaffarpur in connection with Muzaffarpur Excise P. S. Case No.137 of 2019, subject to the conditions laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

The application stands allowed.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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