

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.46369 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-116 Year-2022 Thana- DHANKUND District- Banka

Manjeeta Kumar @ Chhotu @ Manjita Kumar S/O Singheshwar Mandal
Resident of Village- Assi, Makaita, P.S.- Dhankund, District- Banka

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Dhananjay Kumar Pandey, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Shailendra Kumar, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 11-08-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the
learned APP for the State.

The petitioner seeks pre-arrest bail in connection with
Dhankund P.S.Case No.116 of 2022, registered for the offences
punishable under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and
Excise (Amendment) Act, 2022 of the Indian Penal Code.

As per FIR, 40 ltr. of illicit liquor was recovered from
the Scooty kept in a sack and the petitioner managed to escape
from the spot.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner
submits that the petitioner is innocent and he has falsely been
implicated in the present case and made accused for the offence
committed under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and
Excise (Amendment) Act, 2022.



Learned APP for the State vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of pre-arrest bail.

Considering the nature of allegation and the quantity of illicit country-made liquor recovered from the scooty kept in a sack, the petitioner is directed to be released on pre-arrest bail, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the court below within a period of four weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Additional District & Sessions Judge-II, Banka in connection with Dhankund P.S.Case No.116 of 2022 subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C. with further condition that one of the bailors shall be his close family member and warning that the petitioner will not be indulged in similar nature of offence in future.

(Purnendu Singh, J)

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