

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.70335 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-168 Year-2023 Thana- JAMHOR District- Aurangabad

SONU KUMAR S/O ARVIND MEHTA R/O VILLAGE- ORDIH, P.S-
KUTUMBA, DISTT.- AURANGABAD.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Pramendra Kumar Singh

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Sanjay Kumar

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL KUMAR PANWAR
ORAL ORDER

2 06-11-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner has prayed for regular bail in a case
instituted for the offence under Section 30(a) of the Bihar
Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per prosecution case, there has been recovery of
280 liters of illegal country-made *spirit* from a Car, which was
being driven by petitioner.

4. It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner
that petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case. He has
committed no offence. He submitted that the petitioner has no
concern with the seized *spirit*. Nothing incriminating article has
been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner.
Petitioner has got no criminal antecedent as stated in para-3 of



the bail petition. He is languishing in judicial custody since 25.08.2023.

5. The application for bail is opposed by learned APP for the State.

6. The petitioner is directed to deposit Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) in the account of concerned DLSA.

7. Having heard learned counsel for the parties and considering the facts and circumstances of the case as well as period of custody, this court is inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. The above named petitioner is directed to be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Rs. ten thousand only) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Special Judge Excise No. 02, Aurangabad in connection with Jamhor P.S. Case No. 168 of 2023.

8. The bail bond of the petitioner shall be accepted by the learned Court below on showing receipt of deposit of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) by the petitioner in the account of concerned DLSA.

(Sunil Kumar Panwar, J)

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