

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.74741 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-631 Year-2023 Thana- GAYA MUFASIL District- Gaya

MANISH KUMAR Son of Munarik Chaudhary @ Munaka Chaudhary R/o
vill - Bhadeja, P.s. - Mufassil, Distt. - Gaya

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Mrigendra Kumar

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Sanjay Kumar Pandey

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN
ORAL ORDER

2 04-12-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends his arrest in a case registered for the offences punishable u/s 30 (a) of Bihar Prohibition and Excise (Amendment) Act, 2018.

3. Altogether 40 litres of country made liquor is said to have been recovered from a scooty.

4. It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner is quite innocent and has committed no offence. He has been falsely implicated in this case due to ulterior motive. No incriminating article has been recovered from the conscious physical possession of the petitioner. He has no concern either with the seized liquor or any trade of liquor. He was not apprehended on the spot and his name transpired in the



case on the basis that he is the owner of the scooty but it is categorically mentioned in para-8 and 9 of the bail petition that one Anil Kumar is the registered owner of the said scooty, who sold it to one Ramesh Kumar, who sold it to the petitioner but since the scooty was not in good condition, the petitioner returned it to Ramesh Kumar and thereafter, petitioner has no concern from the scooty. Petitioner has no criminal antecedent.

5. Petitioner is agreed to deposit a sum of Rs.5,000.00 (Rupees Five Thousand) in the account of Patna High Court Legal Services Committee, Patna, bearing Account No.1413010060836, IFSC Code: PUNB0141320, Punjab National Bank, Bar Council Branch, Patna.

6. Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, let the above named petitioner, be released on bail, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the learned Court below within a period of six weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Court below, where the case is pending/Successor court, in connection with Muffasil P.S. Case No.631 of 2023, subject to the condition as laid down under Section 438 (2) of the Cr.P.C, with the following conditions:



(i) That one of the bailors will be a close relative of the petitioner, who will give an affidavit giving genealogy as to how he is related with the petitioner. He will also undertake to inform the Court if there is any change in the address of the petitioner.

(ii) The bailor shall also state on affidavit that he will inform the Court concerned if the petitioner is implicated in any other case of similar nature and thereafter the Court below will be at liberty to initiate proceeding for cancellation of anticipatory bail on the ground of misuse.

7. The bail bond of the petitioner shall be accepted by the learned Court below on showing receipt of deposit of aforesaid amount in the Patna High Court Legal Services Committee.

(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)

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