

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.69854 of 2022

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-69 Year-2022 Thana- ARER District- Madhubani

MAHESH SAHNI S/O Bhogendra Sahni R/O Village Ektara Purwari Tola,
P.S- Arer, District- Madhubani

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Jagannath Singh

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Syed Mojibur Rahman

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 04-02-2023 Heard Ld. counsel for the petitioner and Ld. APP
for the State.

The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Arer
P.S. Case No. 69 of 2022, registered for the offences
punishable under Section 272, 273, 414 and 280 of the
Indian Penal Code and 30(a) / 37(c) of the Bihar Prohibition
and Excise Act, 2016.

As per allegation, 95.20 litres of liquor was
recovered from a motorcycle bearing Registration No. BR-
7U-3542.

Ld. counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this



case. He further submits that nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. He further submits that petitioner name transpired only on the basis of suspicion. He also submits that petitioner was not apprehended from the place of occurrence.

He further submits that the petitioner has been languishing in jail since 30.09.2022.

It has also been stated in paragraph no. 3 of the bail petition that the petitioner has earlier been made accused in one other case.

It is also stated in paragraph no. 2 of the bail petition that the petitioner has not moved this Court earlier either for anticipatory bail or regular one.

However, Ld. APP for the State vehemently opposes the prayer of the petitioner for bail.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, **this application is allowed**, directing the petitioner, above-named, to be enlarged on bail on his furnishing bail bonds in the sum of Rs. 10,000 /- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Ld. Additional



Sessions Judge-II-cum-Special Judge, Excise at Madhubani
in connection with Arer P.S. Case No. 69 of 2022 on the
following conditions:

(i) The petitioner will make himself available for
interrogation by a police officer/court as and when required.

(ii) The petitioner will undertake that
investigation/trial will not hamper on account of his absence
or non-cooperation. He must be available to the police or the
court whenever his presence is required.

(iii) The petitioner shall not, directly or indirectly
make any inducement, threat or promise to any person
acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him
from disclosing such facts to the court or to any police
officer.

(iv) In case, it is brought to the notice of the court
below that the petitioner has criminal antecedents other than
the disclosed one, Ld. court below shall cancel the bail bonds
of the petitioner after hearing him and getting satisfied that
the petitioner has concealed his criminal antecedents despite
his knowledge of the same.



(v) In case, it is brought to the notice of the court below that statement regarding previous bail petition is wrong, Ld. court below shall cancel the bail bonds of the petitioner.

(vi) In case, the petitioner repeats offence of similar nature after enlargement on bail, his bail-bond will be cancelled by the Court below.

Ld. counsel for the petitioner is directed to remove all the defects, if any, pointed out by the office within a period of one month and the Registry is directed to issue the certified copy of this order only after removal of office objections.

(Jitendra Kumar, J)

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