

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.73511 of 2022**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-14 Year-2020 Thana- CHANDI District- Bhojpur

MANOJ KUMAR SINGH @ MANOJ RAY, Male, aged about 30 years, Son
of Lal Bahadur Yadav, Resident of village - Chandi, P.S.- Chandi, District -
Bhojpur.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr. Sanjay Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party : Mr. Dilip Kumar No. 1, A.P.P.

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER**

2 20-04-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and

learned A.P.P. for the State.

The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in
connection with Chandi P.S. Case No. 14 of 2020 for the
offence registered under Section 30(a) of the Bihar
Prohibition and Excise (Amendment) Act, 2018.

The prosecution story, in brief, is that total 10.250
liters wine is said to have been recovered from the trailer of
the Tractor in question.

It has been submitted by learned counsel for the
petitioner that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in
the present case. There is no allegation of tampering with



the witnesses alleged against the petitioner. It is alleged that total 10.250 liters wine is recovered from the trailer of the Tractor. The petitioner is named in the F.I.R. The name of the petitioner has transpired in the present case on the basis of secret information as per F.I.R. The source and genuineness of secret information has not been disclosed by the prosecution. Except for this, there is no other substantive evidence to suggest the implication of the petitioner in this case. Nothing incriminating has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner had no knowledge regarding the alleged incident. There is no compliance of Section 100 Cr. P.C. Learned counsel for the petitioner has placed reliance upon the order dated 13.04.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *Criminal Appeal No. 626 of 2022, arising out of SLP (Crl.) No. 3005 of 2022 (Sweta Kumari-Versus-The State of Bihar)*.

On behalf of the State, it is submitted that the petitioner is named in the F.I.R/ Complaint Case.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, the petitioner, above named, in the event of arrest/surrender



before the learned court below within a period of twelve weeks from today, be released on anticipatory bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Excise Court-1, Bhojpur at Ara, in connection with Chandi P.S. Case No. 14 of 2020, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

(Sudhir Singh, J)

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