

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.5242 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-637 Year-2022 Thana- RUNISAIDPUR District- Sitamarhi

Pravin Kumar Son Of Nirtan Thakur @ Nitin Thakur R/O Village And P.O.-
Premnagar (TOLA Bahori), P.S.- Runnisaaidpur, District- Sitamarhi

... .. Petitioner/S

Versus

The State Of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Ritesh Kumar Narain Singh

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Manoj Kumar

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL KUMAR PANWAR
ORAL ORDER

2 07-04-2023 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned APP for the State.

The petitioner has prayed for regular bail in a case
registered for the offence punishable under sections 30(a),
32, 36 and 41 of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

Prosecution case relates to recovery of total
2604.12 litres of illicit liquor from a truck and five accused
persons were apprehended on the spot including this
petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. He has
falsely been implicated in this case merely on the basis of
suspicion. Petitioner has no concern with the alleged
recovery or with the vehicle in question. It is further



submitted that nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of this petitioner, he has got no criminal antecedent. Similarly situated co-accused namely, Guljar Ansari has already been granted bail by this Court vide order dated 06.01.2023 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 70406 of 2022. The petitioner is languishing in judicial custody since 12.10.2022.

Learned APP appearing for the state has opposed the prayer of regular bail.

Having heard learned counsel for the parties and considering the facts and circumstances of the case as well as judicial custody, this court is inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. The above named petitioner is directed to be released on bail in connection with Runnisaidpur P.S. Case No. 637 of 2022 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Exclusive Special Excise Court No-1, Sitamarhi.

(Sunil Kumar Panwar, J)

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