

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.18823 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-557 Year-2023 Thana- RAXAUL District- East Champaran

Ritesh Kumar son of Gajendra Prasad Gupta Village- Dankan road Mishra
Colony, W.No-4, Ps- Raxaul OP Haraiya Dist- East Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Prateek Tandon, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Nagendra Prasad, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH
MISHRA**

ORAL ORDER

2 13-03-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in Raxaul (Haraiya) P.S.
Case No. 557 of 2023, instituted for the offences punishable
under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. The prosecution case, in short, is that, 16.200 liters
liquor was recovered from motorcycle and the petitioner was
apprehended on spot.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case. No
incriminating material has been recovered from the conscious
possession of the petitioner. The petitioner has got no concern
with the alleged recovery of liquor. The petitioner is in custody



since 26.12.2023 and has got two criminal antecedents in which the petitioner is on bail. There is no compliance of Section 100 of Cr.P.C.

5. Learned APP for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case and the period of custody undergone by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

7. Let the petitioner be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in connection with Raxaul (Haraiya) P.S. Case No. 557 of 2023, subject to the following conditions:

(I) One of the bailors shall be own/close member of the family of the petitioner.

(II) The petitioner shall appear on each and every date fixed at the trial. In case of default in such appearance on two consecutive dates, the Trial Court will have liberty to cancel the bail bonds of the petitioner.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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