

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.44017 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-358 Year-2024 Thana- Excise P.S. District- Aurangabad

Chhotu Kumar Son Of Mahendra Rajak Village- Ranga Bigaha, P.S.-
Navinagar, Distt.- Aurangabad (Bihar)

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Pramendra Kumar Singh, Advocate

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

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

ORAL ORDER

2 25-06-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in Excise P.S. Case No.
358 of 2024, instituted for the offences punishable under
Sections 30(a) and 32(3) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise
Act.

3. The prosecution case, in short, is that, 51.840 liters
liquor was recovered from motorcycle and the petitioner was
apprehended on spot.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and 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. It is further submitted that the petitioner is neither rider nor the owner of the motorcycle in question. The petitioner is in custody since 23.04.2024 and has got no criminal antecedent. 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 Excise P.S. Case No. 358 of 2024.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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