

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.42983 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-47 Year-2024 Thana- Marnga District- Purnia

Tafejul @ Md. Tafijul @ Mohammad Tafejul son of Late Sarfuddin Village-
Rampur Tola Maldiha Ps- Raniganj Dist- Araria

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Mukesh Kumar Rana, Adv.

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

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DR. ANSHUMAN
ORAL ORDER

2 20-07-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Maranga P.S. Case No.47 of 2024 lodged under Sections 30(a)
of Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

3. As per the prosecution case, the F.I.R. has been
lodged against nine named accused persons including the
petitioner against whom there is allegation of recovery of total
944.4 litres foreign liquor has been made from the vehicle
which is subject matter of the present case.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. He submits
that nothing has been recovered from conscious possession of
the petitioner and petitioner is neither driver nor owner of the



seized vehicle.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is in custody since 05.04.2024 having three criminal antecedent in which he is on bail.

5. Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer for bail and submits that the petitioner was sitting on the vehicle from where the alleged recovery has been made.

6. In the present facts and circumstances of this case and the submissions made above, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner. Therefore, the bail application of the petitioner is hereby rejected but liberty is hereby granted to the petitioner that he may renew his prayer for bail 6 (six) months after framing of charge.

(Dr. Anshuman, J.)

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