

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.44713 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-21 Year-2022 Thana- N.C.B (GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL)
District- Darbhanga

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Satrughna Ray @ Shatrudhan Ray @ Satrudhan Ray S/O Late Shiv Ji Ray
Vill Vishnupatti Vishopatti Chand Sarai P.S Jandaha Distt- Vaishali

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

Union of India through Mr. Bineet Kumar, Jr Intelligence Officer, Narcotics
Control Bureau, Patna Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Kedar Jha
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Dr.K.N.Singh (A.S.G)
For the U.O.I : Mr. Satyendra Kumar Jha, (C.G.C)1

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA PRAKASH
SINGH**

ORAL ORDER

3 25-07-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P for the State.

2. The petitioner has preferred this application for
grant of regular bail in connection with official (NCB Patna) P.S
Case No. 01 of 2022 arising out of NCB Crime No. 21 of 2022
dated 09.10.2022 registered for the offence punishable u/s
8/20(b)(ii)(C)/25/29 of the N.D.P.S Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 1459.2 kgs. *ganja*
was recovered from the truck.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted
that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in
this case. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious



possession of the petitioner. The petitioner is neither owner nor driver of the said truck. The name of the petitioner has sprung up in the confessional statement of the co-accused. The other co-accused person has already been granted bail by this court *vide* order dated 08.05.2024 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 77278/2023. The petitioner has clean antecedent as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 02.03.2023.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the bail petition of the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case as well as the period of custody, the petitioner above-named, is directed to be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail-bond of Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Court concerned, Darbhanga in connection with (NCB Patna) P.S Case No. 01 of 2022 arising out of NCB Crime No. 21 of 2022.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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