

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.52014 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-72 Year-2024 Thana- MAHESHKHUNT District- Khagaria

Ujjwal Kumar S/o Manoj Kumar Singh R/o vill - Rajdham, P.S. -
Maheshkhunt, Distt. - Khagaria

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Pankaj Kumar, Adv

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Parmeshwar Mehta, APP

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

ORAL ORDER

2 23-07-2024 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 Maheshkhunt P.S. Case No. 72 of 2024 dated 18.04.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/s 188, 420, 467, 471/34 of the I.P.C. and Section 30(a), 32(i), (ii)/41 of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 807.48 litres of illicit foreign liquor was recovered from the *three different vehicles*.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. The petitioner is not the owner of the said vehicle and



the same was not being driven by him at the time of the alleged recovery. The petitioner has no concern with the alleged recovery. The petitioner is not named in the F.I.R. The name of the petitioner was disclosed by the local chowkidar. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner has clean antecedent as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 24.04.2024.

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 nature of allegation levelled against the petitioner and 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, Khagaria in connection with Maheshkhunt P.S. Case No. 72 of 2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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