

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.52675 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-337 Year-2024 Thana- SONEPUR District- Saran

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Rakesh Kumar @ Rakesh Kumar Rai @ Rakesh Rai Son of Rajnarayan Rai
Resident of village - Sabalpur Chaharam, P.S. - Sonpur, District - Saran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ganesh Prasad Singh, Adv

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Nityanand, APP

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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 Sonpur P.S. Case No. 337 of 2024 dated 14.04.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/s 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 972 litres of illicit foreign liquor was recovered from the *Boat*.

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 seized boat. The petitioner has no concern with the alleged recovery. 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 one antecedent as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 24.06.2024.

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, Saran in connection with Sonpur P.S. Case No. 337 of 2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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