

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.64743 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-158 Year-2024 Thana- GOVINDPUR District- Nawada

Sonu Kumar Son of Dinesh Saw Resident of village Uppar Bazar, Govindpur,
PS- Govindpur, District- Nawada

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr. Sheo Nandan Prasad
For the Opposite Party : Mr. Nirmal Kumar Sinha

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

ORAL ORDER

2 21-09-2024 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 Govindpur P.S. Case No. 158 of 2024 dated 27.05.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/s 30(a), 41 of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 69.750 litres of illicit foreign liquor was recovered from the tempo.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. The petitioner is neither the owner nor the driver of the said vehicle. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner has no concern with



the alleged recovery. The other co-accused person has already been granted bail by this court *vide* order dated 22.07.2024 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 51303/2024. The petitioner has four criminal antecedents as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 26.07.2024.

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 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, Nawada in connection with Govindpur P.S. Case No. 158 of 2024, with the condition:-

(i). The petitioner is directed to remain physically present before the learned Court below on each and every date, failing which on two consecutive dates without reasonable cause, the bail bonds of the petitioner is liable to be cancelled.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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