

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.65280 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-357 Year-2024 Thana- KHAJANCHI HAT District- Purnia

Ajit Kumar Son of Umesh Mandal @ Umesh Ray Resident of Village -
Vikash Nagar Polytechnic College, P.S. - Maranga, District - Purnea

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ram Prawesh Kumar, Adv

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Shyam Bihari Singh, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA PRAKASH
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ORAL ORDER

2 23-09-2024 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 K. Hat P.S. Case No. 357 of 2024 dated 07.07.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/s 30(a) of Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 819 litres of illicit foreign liquor was recovered *from the Bolero*.

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 vehicle. The petitioner has no concern with the alleged recovery. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of



the petitioner. The petitioner has two antecedents as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 12.08.2024.

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, Purnea in connection with K. Hat P.S. Case No. 357 of 2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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