

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.81371 of 2023

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-174 Year-2023 Thana- BAKHTIYARPUR District- Patna

Ranjay Kumar @ Ranjay Rai S/O Late Ram Babu Rai Village- Champapur,
P.S. Bakhtiyarpur, Dist. Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ashok Kumar Mishra, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Renu Kumari, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL DUTTA MISHRA
ORAL ORDER

2 08-01-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Bakhtiyarpur P.S. Case No. 174 of 2023 for the offences
registered under Sections 20(b)(ii)(C)/25/29 of the N.D.P.S. Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, 62 Kgs. Ganja was
recovered in a room at the roof of the house of petitioner from
where he was arrested. He also confessed his involvement in
smuggling of *Ganja*.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner has falsely been implicated in this case. Nothing has
been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner
and the recovery has been made from joint house of petitioner
and his brother and uncle. He is in jail custody since 01.05.2023



having no criminal antecedent.

5. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State opposes the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner and submits that the recovered *Ganja* comes under the category of commercial quantity.

6. Considering the fact and circumstances of the case and submissions made on behalf of the parties and recovery of commercial quantity of *Ganja*, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. Accordingly, the prayer for bail of petitioner is rejected in connection with Bakhtiyarpur P.S. Case No. 174 of 2023.

(Sunil Dutta Mishra, J)

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