

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.83029 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-116 Year-2024 Thana- ASHOK PAPER MILL District-
Darbhanga

Gopal Pandey Son of Chandeshwar Pandey R/O -Sivai Singhpur, P. S. -Ashok
Paper Mill, (A. P. M), District - Darbhanga

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Nawal Kishor Prasad
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Parmanand Prasad

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

- 2 06-12-2024 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.
2. The petitioner seeks bail in a case registered for the
offence punishable under Section 30(a) of Bihar Prohibition and
Excise (Amendment) Act, 2022.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner has antecedent of one case and allegation is of
recovery of 1188.750 litres of liquor from the house of Jitendra
Sahni. It is next submitted that petitioner was not arrested from
the spot as such nothing was recovered from his conscious
possession and even alleged recovery is from a place, which
does not belong to the petitioner and he came to be implicated
based on confessional statement of Jitendra in police custody,



which does not have any evidentiary value and is in custody since 12.09.2024.

4. Learned A.P.P. opposes the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

5. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petitioner above-named, is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.5000/- (Rupees five thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned trial court where the case is pending/successor court in connection with Ashok Paper Mill (APM) P.S. Case No.116/2024.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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