

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.1805 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-154 Year-2024 Thana- Excise P.S. District- Saran

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Raja Babu Son of Krishna Manjhi Resident of Village - Sandha Mathiya,
Hemnagar, P.S. - Chapra Muffasil, District - Saran at Chapra (Bihar)

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rakesh Kumar, Adv

For the Opposite Party/s : Ms. Sharda Kumari, APP

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

2 19-02-2025 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 Excise Sadar P.S. Case No. 154 of 2024 dated 06.08.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/s 30(a) of Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 49 litres of illicit country made liquor was recovered from the *Motorcycle*.

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 but the same was being driven by him at the time of the alleged recovery. 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 07.08.2024.

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, Saran at Chapra in connection with Excise Sadar P.S. Case No. 154 of 2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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