

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.9054 of 2025**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-189 Year-2024 Thana- Lakho District- Begusarai

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Ankit Kumar @ Arav Kumar @ Aarav Kumar @ Aarav Ram Pravesh
Choudhary @ Ram Pravesh Chaudhary @ Ram Pravesh Chaudhari Village-
Malhipur Ward no 6 PO- BTPS PS- Chakiya District- Begusarai

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Sandip Kumar Gautam
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Ashok Kumar Singh

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

2 18-03-2025 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 Lakho P.S. Case No. 189 of
2024 dated 29.11.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/ss
30(a), 32(3) and 41(2) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise
Amendment Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 180 litres of illicit
foreign liquor was recovered from the Tata Magic vehicle.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that
the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this
case. The name of the petitioner has transpired in this case merely
on suspicion. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious



possession of the petitioner. The petitioner neither the owner nor the driver of the said vehicle. The petitioner has no concern with the alleged recovery. The petitioner has one criminal antecedent as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 01.12.2024. The co-accused has been granted regular bail by this Court vide order dated 04.03.2025 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 7198 of 2025.

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, Begusarai in connection with Lakho P.S. Case No. 189 of 2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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