

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.19349 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-5 Year-2025 Thana- Dehri Mufassil District- Rohtas

Santosh Singh Son of Vishwanath Singh @ Bishwanath Singh Resident of
Village - Patpura, P.S. - Dehri (M), District - Rohtas

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Bhaskar Shankar, Adv.

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

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH MISHRA
ORAL ORDER

3 14-05-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Dehri
(M) P.S. Case No. 5 of 2025 instituted for the offences under
Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per prosecution case, the police has recovered
total 50 liters of illicit country-made liquor from the house of
the petitioner.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence as alleged
against him and has falsely been implicated in the present case.
He further submits that the house from where illicit liquor was
recovered is a joint house. He further submits that nothing
incriminating has been recovered from the conscious possession
of the petitioner. The petitioner has no concern with the seized



liquor. The petitioner was not aware of the contents of the material being kept in his joint house. There is a non-compliance of Section 103 of the B.N.S.S. which creates a serious doubt in the prosecution case. The petitioner has one criminal antecedent and is languishing in judicial custody since 04.01.2025 without any rhymes or reason.

5. On the other hand, learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

6. Having heard rival contention of both the parties and considering the entire facts and circumstances of the case as also taking into account the period of custody of the petitioner, let the petitioner, abovenamed, be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in connection with Dehri (M) P.S. Case No. 5 of 2025.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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