

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.11229 of 2025**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-65 Year-2024 Thana- MAHUAWA District- East Champaran

Santosh Kumar Son of Shankar Singh R/O Village- Tinkoni, P.S.- Darpa,  
District- East Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Anil Kumar

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Anand Kishore Choudhary

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA PRAKASH  
SINGH**

ORAL ORDER

2      22-03-2025                      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 Mahuwa P.S. Case No. 65/2024 dated 25.12.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/s 30(a) and 37 of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 61.2 litres of illicit Nepali country-made liquor was recovered from the two sacks kept below the Pipal tree.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The recovery is made from an open



place which is accessible to anyone. The petitioner has no concern with the alleged recovery. The petitioner has clean antecedent as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 26.12.2024.

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 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, East Champaran, Motihari in connection with Mahuwa P.S. Case No. 65/2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

**(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)**

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