

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.14409 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-505 Year-2024 Thana- HARNAUT District- Nalanda

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Sitaram Paswan Son of Rudal Paswan @ Kedar Paswan Resident of Village-
Basti Sarshikhan, Kishunpur, Police Station- Kartara O.P. Garaul, District-
Vaishali (Bihar)

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Nilendu Kumar Choudhary, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Dr. Ajeet Kumar, APP

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

2 27-03-2025 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 Harnaut (Chero OP) P.S.
Case No. 505 of 2024 dated 25.12.2024 registered for the
offences punishable u/s 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and
Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 3231 litres of
illicit foreign liquor was recovered from the Truck.

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 vehicle.
The petitioner is only the driver of the said vehicle and he has



no concern with the alleged recovery. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner has no criminal 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, Biharsharif (Nalanda) in connection with Harnaut (Chero O.P.) P.S. Case No. 505 of 2024 with the condition :-

(i) The petitioner is directed to remain physically present before the learned Court below on each and every date, failing which on two consecutive dates without reasonable cause, the bail bond of the petitioner is liable to be cancelled.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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