

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.14420 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-51 Year-2025 Thana- Excise P.S. District- Nawada

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Randhir Kumar Singh Son of Jay Kumar Singh Resident of Village- Katharua,
P.s. and Distt.- Aurangabad (Bihar)

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Pramendra Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Umeshanand Pandit, APP

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH
MISHRA**

ORAL ORDER

2 07-03-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Excise
Nawada P.S. Case No. 51 of 2025 instituted for the offences
punishable under Sections 30(a), 47 of the Bihar Prohibition and
Excise Act.

3. The prosecution case, in short, is that total 144 litres
of liquor was recovered from a bus.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the
petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case. No
incriminating article has been recovered from the conscious
possession of the petitioner. Learned counsel further submitted



that from perusal of the FIR it appears that petitioner is the co-driver of the vehicle but, as a matter of fact, the petitioner is only the passenger and not the driver/co-driver of the vehicle. The petitioner has got no concern with the alleged recovery of liquor. The petitioner is in custody since 25.01.2025 and has no criminal antecedent. There is no compliance of Section 103 of the Bharatiya Nagarika Suraksha Sanhita, 2023.

5. Learned APP for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case and the period of custody undergone by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

7. Let the petitioner 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 Excise Nawada P.S. Case No. 51 of 2025.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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