

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.20259 of 2025**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-210 Year-2024 Thana- GORADIH District- Bhagalpur

Pankaj Kumar S/o Jhakshu Choudhary @ Jhakshu Sah R/o vill- Ambag
Aliganj, Ward no 43, PS- Babarganj, Dist- Bhagalpur

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Rajive Ranjan Singh
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Parmanand Prasad

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

ORAL ORDER

2 16-04-2025 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 Goradiah P.S. Case No. 210/2024 dated 31.12.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/s 30(a) and 41(1)(2) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 118.87 litres of illicit foreign liquor was recovered from the two tempo.

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. As per para. 7 of the bail petition,



the petitioner is driver of one of the tempo. 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 01.01.2025.

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, Bhagalpur in connection with Goradiah P.S. Case No. 210/2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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