

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.20562 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-22 Year-2025 Thana- SIKTA District- West Champaran

Hakim Raut @ Hakim Raut Ahir S/o Late Nathu Raut Ahir R/o Jhalmahiya,
PS- Langri, District- Parsa Nepal

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Bimlesh Kumar Pandey

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Umeshanand Pandit

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 Sikta P.S. Case No. 22 of 2025 dated 01.06.2024 registered for the offences punishable u/ss 274 and 275 of B.N.S. and Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Amendment Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 150 litres of illicit Nepali country-made liquor was recovered from the five sacks allegedly thrown by the petitioner and the co-accused persons.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. The name of the petitioner has transpired in this case



merely on suspicion. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner has no concern with the alleged recovery. The petitioner has no criminal antecedent as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 12.02.2025.

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, West Champaran in connection with Sikta P.S. Case No. 22 of 2025.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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