

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.22315 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-176 Year-2025 Thana- Excise P.S. District- East Champaran

1. Deepak Sahani S/o Lakhandeo Sahani @ Lakhindra Sahani R/o Village- Amariya Tola (Bokane Kala, Mishara Tola), Ward No.13, P.S.- Patahi, District- East Champaran
2. Musafir Sahani @ Musafir Mukhiya S/o Bigu Sahani R/o Village- Amariya Tola (Bokane Kala, Mishara Tola), Ward No.13, P.S.- Patahi, District- East Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Ajay Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Ms.Shaheen Begum, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH MISHRA

ORAL ORDER

2 10-04-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioners seek bail in Excise P.S. case No. 176 of 2025 instituted for the offences under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. The prosecution case, in short, is that 666 liters liquor was recovered from car and the petitioners were arrested on spot.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners are innocent and have falsely been implicated in the present case. No incriminating material has been recovered



from the conscious possession of the petitioners. The petitioners have got no concern with the alleged recovery of liquor. It is further submitted that the car in question does not belong to the petitioner. The petitioners are driver and co-driver of the vehicle in question and they have no knowledge regarding nature of goods kept in the vehicle in question. The petitioners are in custody since 05.02.2025 and have got one criminal antecedent each. There is no compliance of Section 103 of B.N.S.S., 2023.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioners.

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

7. Let the petitioners be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand) each with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in connection with Excise P.S. case No. 176 of 2025, subject to the following conditions:

(I) One of the bailors shall be own/close member of the family of the petitioners.

(II) The petitioners shall appear on each and every date fixed at the trial. In case of default in such appearance on



two consecutive dates, the Trial Court will have liberty to cancel
the bail bonds of the petitioners.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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