

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.34647 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-131 Year-2025 Thana- GARKHA District- Saran

Jyoti Manjhi S/o Late Deosharan Manjhi R/o Village- Phulwariya
(Fulwariya), P.S.- Garkha, District- Saran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Brij Kishor Mishra, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Kumar Ranjit Ranjan, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DR. ANSHUMAN
ORAL ORDER

2 04-06-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Garkha P.S. Case No. 131 of 2025, lodged on 28.02.2025, under
Sections 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise
(Amendment) Act, 2022.

3. As per the prosecution, total recovery of 32 litres of
illicit liquor has been made, which is the subject matter of the
present case.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. It is further
submitted that, from the contents of the F.I.R. and the seizure
list, it transpires that the alleged recovery was made from a
public place, i.e., the road, and the petitioner has been



unnecessarily implicated in the present case. Counsel also submits that the petitioner has been in custody since 01.03.2025 and has only one criminal case pending against him.

5. Learned APP for the State opposes the prayer for bail.

6. In the present facts and circumstances of this case and the submissions made above, let the petitioner above named, be granted bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.30,000/- (Rupees Thirty thousand) as mentioned in Section 2(1)(d) of the BNSS, 2023 to the satisfaction of Exclusive Special Judge, Excise I, Saran at Chapra, in connection with Garkha P.S. Case No. 131 of 2025, subject to the following conditions as laid down under Section 480(3) of the BNSS.

(Dr. Anshuman, J.)

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