

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.33192 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-236 Year-2024 Thana- PRATAPGANJ District- Supaul

Ranjit Sardar S/o Lakshmi @ Lakshman Sardar R/o Vill- Shreepur, Ward
No.12, P.S.- Pratapganj, Distt- Supaul

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Naresh Kumar Mehta
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Surendra Prasad Singh

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

2 20-05-2025 Heard learned counsel appearing on behalf of

the petitioner and learned Additional Public Prosecutor

appearing on behalf of the State.

2. The accused/petitioner is named in the

F.I.R. and apprehended his arrest in connection with

Pratapganj P.S. Case No. 236 of 2024 registered for the

offences punishable under Section 30 (a) of the Bihar

Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. The allegation against the petitioner is to be

engage in illegal trading/manufacturing of illicit liquor,

where, there is recovery of 200 litres of IMFL/country



made liquor.

4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submitted that recovery of alleged illicit liquor was made from the house of petitioner. It is pointed out that the house in issue was occupied by different adult members of the family. It is further submitted that compliance of Section 103(4) of the BNSS not appears followed in the present case making entire search and seizure doubtful, who is a man of clean antecedent.

5. Learned APP appearing on behalf of the State, opposes the prayer for anticipatory bail.

6. In view of aforesaid facts and circumstances and by taking note of the fact as recovery of illicit liquor prima-facie not appears to be made from the conscious physical possession of this petitioner, accordingly the petitioner above named, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the learned Trial Court within a period of four weeks, is directed to be released on bail, furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) each



with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Exclusive Special Judge, Excise Supaul, Court No. 2, Civil Court, Supaul/concerned Trial Court where the case is pending in connection with Pratapganj P.S. Case No. 236 of 2024 subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 482(2) of the BNSS.

(Chandra Shekhar Jha, J.)

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