

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.42493 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-16 Year-2025 Thana- Bhelahi District- East Champaran

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Ankit Kumar Singh @ Ankit Kumar @ Ankit Singh S/o Brijkishore Singh
R/o Vill.- Jaitapur, P.S.- Palanwa, Distt.-East Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Binay Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mrs.Sangeeta Sharma, APP

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH
MISHRA**

ORAL ORDER

3 18-08-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in Bhelahi P.S. case No.
16 of 2025 instituted for the offences under Sections 317(4), 111
of Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 and Section 30(a) of the
Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. The prosecution case, in short, is that 18 liters liquor
was recovered from two motorcycles.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in the
present case. No incriminating material has been recovered
from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner
has got no concern with the alleged recovery of liquor. It is



further submitted that the petitioner was passersby of the way and has become victim of circumstances. The petitioner is in custody since 06.02.2025 and has got one criminal antecedent. There is no compliance of Section 103 of B.N.S.S., 2023. Co-accused has been granted bail by this Bench vide order dated 05.05.2025 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 28684 of 2025.

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

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

7. Let the petitioner be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.15,000/- (Fifteen thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in connection with Bhelahi P.S. case No. 16 of 2025.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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