

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.41974 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-521 Year-2024 Thana- MOTIHARI MUFASIL District- East
Champaran

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Laljalam Manjhi S/o Late Sajawal Manjhi R/o Village- Harajpur, P.S.-
Muffasil, District- East Champaran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Aditya Kumar Pandey, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Bharat Lal, A.P.P.

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 03-07-2025 Heard learned counsel appearing on behalf of the

petitioner and learned A.P.P. appearing on behalf of the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends his arrest in a case
registered for the offence punishable under Section 30(a) of the
Bihar Prohibition and Excise (Amendment) Act.

3. As per prosecution case, 06 litres of illicit liquor
was recovered from the house of this petitioner and 04 litres of
liquor was recovered from one Rajendra Manjhi.

4. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner
submits that petitioner is innocent and has falsely been
implicated in this case. No incriminating material has been
recovered from the conscious possession of this petitioner and
he is in no way connected with the aforesaid recovery. Petitioner



claims clean antecedents.

5. On the other hand, learned APP appearing for the State submits that petitioner is not entitled to the privilege of anticipatory bail in view of decision of the Full Bench of this Hon'ble Court rendered in the case of *Ram Vinay Yadav vs. The State of Bihar* reported in *2019(2) P.L.J.R. 1089 (F.B.)*.

6. Considering the nature of accusation and aforesaid decision of this Court, the prayer for grant of anticipatory bail to this petitioner is rejected.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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