

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.53780 of 2024

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-93 Year-2024 Thana- BARGAINIA District- Sitamarhi

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RAMNATH KUMAR @ RAMNATH RAUT S/O BISHAMBHAR RAUT
R/O VILLAGE- BAKHARI, P.S- BAIRGANIA, DISTT.- SITAMARHI.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

THE STATE OF BIHAR

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

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

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Sanjay Kumar Pandey, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH
ORAL ORDER

4 17-01-2025 Heard Mr. Subodh Kumar, learned counsel

appearing on behalf of the petitioner and Mr. Sanjay Kumar

Pandey, learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks pre-arrest bail in connection
with Bairgania P.S. Case No. 93/2024 registered for the
offence(s) punishable under Sections 279 and 304A of the
Indian Penal Code and Sections 30(a) and 30(c) of the Bihar
Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the allegation made in the FIR, 98.7 litres of
illicit liquor was recovered from a car bearing Registration
No.BR-06R/0324, which met with an accident, in which driver
of the said car died.

4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the
petitioner submitted that petitioner is innocent and has falsely



been implicated in the present case. It is further submitted that neither the vehicle is registered in the name of the petitioner, nor he is engaged in the trade of illicit liquor in the State of Bihar.

5. Learned APP for the State vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of pre-arrest bail and submitted that petitioner has got criminal antecedents of six cases and that too under Excise Act.

6. Considering the nature of allegation, as well as, the fact that petitioner has criminal antecedent of six cases under Excise Act, I am not inclined to grant pre-arrest bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, the present bail application stands dismissed.

(Purnendu Singh, J)

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