

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.51316 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-82 Year-2025 Thana- ISMAILPUR District- Bhagalpur

DEVANAND MANDAL, Son of Gouri Shankar Mandal, Resident of village -
Chhoti Parbatta, P.S.- Ismailpur, District - Bhagalpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Diwakar Upadhyaya, Advocate

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

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL DUTTA MISHRA
ORAL ORDER

2 11-08-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Ismailpur P.S. Case No. 82 of 2025 for the offence registered
under Sections 21 (a), 22(a) of the N.D.P.S. Act.

3. As per prosecution, total 600 ml cough syrup
containing Codeine Phosphate & Triprolidine Hcl. Syrup was
recovered from the house of the petitioner.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has been falsely implicated in the
present case. The petitioner purchased the seized medicines for
his ailing father and mother. The petitioner is not involved in
illicit business of manufacturing, transporting or selling the
cough syrup. There is no recovery from the conscious



possession of the petitioner. There is no violation of mandatory provision of N.D.P.S. Act. The seized quantity comes below the commercial quantity. Petitioner is in custody since 09.05.2025 having no criminal antecedent. Petitioner undertakes to cooperate in the investigation and trial of the case.

5. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State opposes the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

6. Considering the submissions on behalf of the parties and the facts and circumstances of the case, let the petitioner, named above, be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned concerned court below in Ismailpur P.S. Case No. 82 of 2025.

(Sunil Dutta Mishra, J)

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