

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.54976 of 2025**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-141 Year-2025 Thana- MIRGANJ District- Gopalganj

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Ankit Singh @ Ankit Kumar S/O Late Arjun Singh R/O Vill- Ekdanga, Tola  
Neruai, P.S.- Mirganj, Distt- Gopalganj

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Ms. Priya Raj, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Rana Randhir Singh, APP

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

ORAL ORDER

2      14-08-2025      Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP  
for the State.

2.      The petitioner seeks bail in connection with  
Mirganj PS Case No. 141 of 2025 instituted for the offences  
under Section/s 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act  
and Section 317(5) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023.

3.      The prosecution case, in short, is that 263.910 liters  
foreign liquor was recovered from Maruti Suzuki car.

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 submitted



that petitioner is neither the owner nor the driver of the car in question and he was oblivious of the fact that illicit liquor was laden in the vehicle. The petitioner is in custody since 29-05-2025 and has got one criminal antecedent/s. There is no compliance of Section 103 of the BNSS, 2023.

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 Mirganj PS Case No. 141 of 2025.

**(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)**

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