

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.57451 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-1 Year-2025 Thana- GADHA District- Sitamarhi

Mahadev Kumar S/o Rampravesh Raut R/o Village- Manik Chowk East, P.S.-
Gadha, District- Sitamarhi

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

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

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Anil Kumar Singh No. 1, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL DUTTA MISHRA
ORAL ORDER

2 15-09-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends arrest in a case registered
under Section 30(a) of Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, 5.40 litres of illicit
liquor was recovered from a bicycle. It is alleged that this
petitioner fled away from the spot identified by *Mahal*
Chowkidar.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this
case merely on the disclosure statement of *Mahal Chowkidar*.
Further submission is that petitioner has no concern with the
seized illicit liquor or bicycle. Nothing has been recovered from
the conscious possession of the petitioner. Except the disclosure



statement of *Mahal Chowkidar*, there is nothing material against the petitioner. Petitioner has no criminal antecedent and he undertakes to cooperate in the investigation and trial.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State opposes the prayer for anticipatory bail.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and submissions of learned counsel for the parties, in the event of arrest or surrender before the Court below within six weeks from today, the petitioner be released on bail upon furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Exclusive Special Excise Judge-1, Sitamarhi in connection with Garha P.S. Case No. 1 of 2025, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 482(2) of the B.N.S.S., 2023.

(Sunil Dutta Mishra, J)

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