

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.58096 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-83 Year-2025 Thana- Shivnarayanpur District- Bhagalpur

Bhim Mandal, S/O Lakhichand Mandal, R/O Village- Premnagar, P.S.-
Jirwabari, District- Saahebganj, Jharkhand

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State Of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Baijnath Sah, Advocate

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

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUNIL DUTTA MISHRA
ORAL ORDER

2 04-09-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Shivnarayanpur P.S. Case No. 83 of 2025 for the offence
registered under Section 30 (a) of the Bihar Prohibition &
Excise Amendment Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, during vehicle
checking total 192 litres illicit wine was recovered from a
tractor at Mathura Bazar near NH 80. Petitioner is the driver of
the seized vehicle.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has been falsely implicated in this
case. Petitioner is the driver of the of seized vehicle. He is
neither the owner of the seized vehicle nor any concern with the



seized liquor. On the instruction of the owner of the vehicle namely Vipin Yadav, he was driving the said vehicle. Nothing incriminating was recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. Petitioner is in jail custody since 17.06.2025, having no criminal antecedent. Petitioner undertakes to co-operate in the trial of the case.

5. Learned APP for the State has opposed the prayer for regular bail of the petitioner.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the submissions of learned counsel for the parties and period of custody, let the petitioner, above named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Addl. District & Sessions Judge-XII-cum-Exclusive Court, Special Excise Court-II, Bhagalpur, in connection with Shivnarayanpur P.S. Case No. 83 of 2025.

(Sunil Dutta Mishra, J)

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