

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.59148 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-448 Year-2025 Thana- Excise P.S. District- Nawada

Ranjeet Kumar S/O Govind Prasad Singh R/O Village- Rajambha Motnaje,
P.S.- Mufassil, District- Nawada

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Bhaskar Shankar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Umanath Mishra, APP

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

ORAL ORDER

2 22-08-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Excise
PS Case No. 448 of 2025 instituted for the offences under
Sections 30(a) and 47 of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. The prosecution case, in short, is that total 72 litres
of foreign liquor was recovered from Toyota Innova Car bearing
Regd No. BR27P-3218.

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 seized



vehicle. It is further submitted that petitioner is the passerby of the way. The petitioner is in custody since 01.07.2025 and has got no criminal antecedent. There is no compliance of Section 103 of B.N.S.S. Similarly situated other co-accused has been granted regular bail by this Court vide order dated 30.07.2025 passed in Cr. Misc. No. 49563 of 2025.

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, clean antecedent of the petitioner 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/- (Rupees Fifteen thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in connection with Excise PS Case No. 448 of 2025.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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