

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.63465 of 2025**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-240 Year-2021 Thana- MANER District- Patna

Rajnish Kumar S/O Ramashankar Rai R/O - Suarmarwa West, P.S. - Maner,  
District - Patna

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Ghanshyam Tiwary, Advocate.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Damodar Prasad Tiwary, APP.

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      24-09-2025                      Heard learned counsel appearing on behalf of the  
petitioner and learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks pre-arrest bail in connection with Maner P.S. Case No. 240 of 2021 registered for the offence punishable under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. Allegation is of recovery of 375 ml of foreign liquor from the room of the petitioner.

4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and he has been falsely implicated in the case. Petitioner resides in a joint house and he had no knowledge of keeping of liquor in his room. He has no concern with the trade of liquor in any manner. The petitioner has clean antecedent.



5. Learned APP for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner.

6. Having considered the rival submissions made on behalf of the parties and the nature of allegation against the petitioner and the quantity of liquor recovered, the petitioner, above named, is directed to be released on pre-arrest bail, in the event of his arrest or surrender before the Court below within a period of four weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned District Court where the case is pending in connection with Maner P.S. Case No. 240 of 2021, subject to the condition as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

7. The District Court is directed to verify the criminal antecedent of the petitioner and if it is found that the petitioner is involved in some other cases as what has been stated in Para- 3 of the bail petition, this order will automatically lose its force.

8. The bail application stands disposed of.

**(Purnendu Singh, J)**

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