

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.63573 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-4 Year-2025 Thana- DIGHWARA District- Saran

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Abhay Kumar Singh, age about 42 years, Male, S/o Bishwanath Singh, R/o
Village- Pahari Chak, P.S.- Sonpur, Distt.- Saran

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Dewanand Tiwari, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Mithlesh Kumar Khare, A.P.P.

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 24-09-2025 Heard Mr. Dewanand Tiwari, learned counsel
appearing on behalf of the petitioner and Mr. Mithlesh Kumar
Khare, learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks pre-arrest bail in connection
with Dighwara P.S. Case No. 04 of 2025 registered for the
offence punishable under Section 30 (a) of the Bihar Prohibition
and Excise Act as amended up-to-date.

3. Allegation is of recovery of 165 litres of country-
made liquor from a Tempo bearing Registration No.
BR31AV4906 belonging to the petitioner.

4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the
petitioner submits that the petitioner has been made accused in



the present case simply because the aforesaid vehicle is registered in his name. Petitioner had given the said vehicle to his driver and he had no knowledge that his vehicle is being misused for carrying illicit liquor. Petitioner has no concern with the alleged seized liquor nor he is involved in trade of liquor in any manner. Petitioner has clean antecedent On these grounds, petitioner seeks to be released on pre-arrest bail.

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

6. Considering the nature of allegation made in the FIR and the criminal antecedent of the petitioner , the petitioner, above named, is directed to be released on pre-arrest bail, in the event of his/her arrest or surrender before the learned District Court within a period of four weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned District Court where the case is pending, in connection with Dighwara P.S. Case No. 04 of 2025, subject to the condition as laid down under Section 482(2) of the BNSS.

7. The learned District Court is directed to verify the criminal antecedent of the petitioner as stated in paragraph no. 3 of the bail application. If any other case is pending against the petitioner as what has been stated in



paragraph no. 3, this order will lose its force automatically.

8. The present bail application is disposed of.

(Purnendu Singh, J)

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