

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.69087 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-207 Year-2020 Thana- GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL COMP.
District- Begusarai

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Kanhaiya Kumar @ Kanhaiya Singh S/o Late Satyanarayan Singh Resident of
Ward NJo. 45, Mohalla- Sant Nagar, Village- Mohan Eghu, P.O.-
Mohanaighu, Cheria Baraiarpur, P.S.- Begusarai Muffasil, District- Begusarai

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Saket Kumar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Shailendra Kumar Singh, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE AJIT KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 08-10-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends his arrest in connection
with Excise (Government Official Complaint) Case No. 207 C2
of 2020 registered for the offences under Section 30(a) of the
Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2016.

3. As per the prosecution story, on secret information,
Excise Case No. 207 C 2 of 2020 was registered in Begusarai.
During the search, officials recovered 153.54 litres of illicit
foreign liquor from the house of co-accused Gangadhar Sah.
The complaint further alleges that another person involved in
the illegal liquor business is the present petitioner. A seizure list



was prepared and endorsed by the raiding team.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has clean antecedent and the seized articles is said to have been recovered from the house of the other co-accused and is in no way connected with the seized articles and on search being made by the Police of his house, nothing incriminating has been recovered from his possession.

5. Learned APP for the State opposes the prayer for anticipatory bail application.

6. Regard being had to the submission made by the parties, taking into consideration the fact that illicit liquor has not been recovered from the conscious possession and / or premises belonging to the petitioner and the petitioner has clean antecedent, accordingly, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

7. Let the petitioner, above named, be released on anticipatory bail in the event of arrest or surrender before the court below 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 learned Exclusive Special Judge (Excise) – II, Begusarai, in connection with Excise (Government Official Complaint) Case



No. 207 C2 of 2020 subject to the condition as laid down under
Section 482(2) of the B.N.S.S., 2023.

(Ajit Kumar, J)

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