

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.72276 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-272 Year-2025 Thana- DAWATH District- Rohtas

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Bablu Yadav @ Bablu Kumar Son of Birendra Singh @ Birendra Yadav R/o
Village - Etawa, P.S. - Dawath, Dist. - Rohtas.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rajeev Kumar Singh
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Kumar Ranjit Ranjan

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

- 2 16-10-2025 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.
2. This application for grant of anticipatory bail arises out of Dawath Police Station Case No. 272 of 2025, dated 21.08.2025, disclosing offence under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.
3. The prosecution story, as per the First Information Report, is that on 21.08.2025, at about 10:00 AM, while on patrolling duty, the police received secret information that the petitioner of Village Itawa, P.S. Dawath, was selling illicit liquor from a semi-constructed Anganwadi Centre near the village water tank. On reaching the spot, the accused fled after seeing the police. On search of the western room of the said centre, 70.20 liters of foreign



liquor were recovered.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case due to oblique motive and village politics. He next submits that the petitioner was not present at the place of occurrence and his name has been transpired on the basis of secret information. He further submits that illicit liquor has not been recovered from conscious possession of the petitioner and/or from the premises belonging to him. Rather, the same has been recovered in from semi-constructed Anganwadi Centre near the village water tank, which is open space accessible to all and sundry.
5. Regards being had to the submission made by the parties and taking into consideration the fact that the name of the petitioner has transpired on the basis of secret information and illicit liquor has not been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner, rather, the same has been recovered from open space accessible to all and sundry, I am inclined to grant the petitioner privilege of anticipatory bail.
6. This application is, accordingly, allowed.
7. Let the petitioner, above named, in the event of his arrest



or surrender before the Court below within four weeks, be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Exclusive Special Judge, Court No. I, Rohtas at Sasaram, in connection with Dawath Police Station Case No. 272 of 2025, subject to the condition laid down under Section 438 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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