

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.73074 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-172 Year-2022 Thana- DIGHWARA District- Saran

Anil Paswan @ Anil Ram Son of Hulas Paswan R/o Village - Basantpur, P.S.-
Dighwara, District - Saran at Chapra

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Ajay Kumar Singh No. I
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Gauri Shankar Gupta

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR PANDEY
ORAL ORDER

2 16-10-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner has prayed for regular bail in a case registered for the offence punishable under section 30 (a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. The case of the prosecution is that before Kajhurbani in Manjhwa Diwar, altogether 100 liters of country made liquor was recovered. The police had received information that the petitioner and others were engaged in manufacturing illicit liquor.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in connection with the present case. It is further submitted that nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of



the petitioner. It is further contended that name of the petitioner has surfaced on the basis of the confessional statement of '*chowkidar*'. Moreover, the petitioner is languishing in judicial custody since 01.08.2025.

5. Learned APP appearing for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer of regular bail stating that the petitioner has three criminal antecedents.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, this court is inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. The above named petitioner is directed to be released on bail in connection with Dighwara P.S. Case No. 172 of 2022 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Exclusive Special Excise Judge, 1st Saran at Chapra, subject to the condition that the petitioner shall not indulge himself in similar nature of offence in near future.

(Ashok Kumar Pandey, J)

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