

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.3487 of 2025

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-880 Year-2024 Thana- Excise P.S. District- Kaimur (Bhabua)

Pankaj S/o Ranjeet Singh R/o Village- Skater 18 New Delhi house no. 335,
P.O. and P.S.- Badli, District- New Delhi (U.P.)

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Kiran Kumari Sharma, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Ramchandra Sahni, A.P.P.

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA PRAKASH
SINGH**

ORAL ORDER

2 24-02-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned A.P.P for the State.

2. The petitioner has preferred this application for grant of regular bail in connection with Excise P.S. Case No. 880 of 2024, dated 17.11.2024, registered for the offences punishable Under Sections 30(a), 32(1)(3) 41(1) 41(2) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, total 253.500 litre of illicit liquor was recovered from the Maruti Suzuki Dzire Tours Car.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case. The petitioner is the owner and driver of the said



vehicle, but seized liquor does not belong to the petitioner. Nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner has no concern with the alleged recovery. The petitioner has no antecedent as stated in para 3 of the bail petition. The petitioner is in custody since 18.11.2024.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the bail petition of the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case as well as the period of custody, the petitioner above-named, is directed to be enlarged on bail on furnishing bail-bond of Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned concerned Court, Kaimur at Bhabhua, in connection with Excise P.S. Case No. 880 of 2024.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Chandra Prakash Singh, J)

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