

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.6568 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-1387 Year-2025 Thana- Excise P.S. District- Sitamarhi

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Lokesh Sahni @ Lokesh Kumar @ Mukesh Kumar @ Lokash Sahani Son of
Late Mahendra Sahni @ Mahindra Sahni R/o Village - Bhavdepur ward no. 1,
P.S. - Riga, Dist. - Sitamarhi.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Uday Kumar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Ajay Kumar No. 2, APP

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RUDRA PRAKASH
MISHRA**

ORAL ORDER

2 02-02-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned APP
for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with
Sitamarhi Excise PS Case No. 1387 of 2025 instituted for the
offences under Section/s 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and
Excise Act.

3. The prosecution case, in short, is that 117 liters
liquor was recovered from jute sack.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is innocent and has falsely been implicated in the
present case. No incriminating material has been recovered from
the conscious possession of the petitioner. The petitioner has got
no concern with the alleged recovery of liquor. It is submitted



that recovery is from an open place, which is accessible to one and all. The petitioner is in custody since 14.11.2025 and has got no criminal antecedent/s. There is no compliance of Section 103 of the BNSS, 2023. Other co-accused has been granted bail by this Court vide order dated 19.01.2026, passed in Cr. Misc. No. 2534 of 2026.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of bail to the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, clean antecedent of the petitioner and the period of custody undergone by the petitioner, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

7. Let the petitioner be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.15,000/- (Fifteen thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in connection with Sitamarhi Excise PS Case No. 1387 of 2025.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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