

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.7943 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-138 Year-2025 Thana- Nagara District- Saran

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Balkeshiya Devi Son of Bhatti Nut @ Bhathi Nut Resident of Village -
Aphaura/ Affour, P.S.- Nagra, District - Saran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Hemant Kumar

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Umesh Lal Verma

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

2 17-02-2026 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned A.P.P.
for the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends her arrest in connection with
Nagra P.S. Case No. 138 of 2025 dated 13.11.2025 registered
under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act,
2018.

3. As per the first information report a total quantity of 25
liters of illicit country made liquor has been recovered from a
white coloured bag kept in a bush behind the house of the
petitioner.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is
innocent and has falsely been implicated in this case by the



Police due to oblique motive. The name of the petitioner has transpired in this case merely on the basis of suspicion. The illicit liquor in question has not been recovered from the conscious possession and / or premises belonging to the petitioner. The alleged recovery of illicit country made liquor has been made from a bag kept in a bush situated behind the house of the petitioner, which is an open space easily accessible to all and sundry. The petitioner has no criminal antecedent.

5. Regard being had to the submission made by the parties, taking into consideration the fact that recovery of illicit country made liquor is not from inside the house of the petitioner rather the same has been seized from an open space easily accessible to everyone and petitioner is a lady having no criminal antecedent, accordingly, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6. 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 Exclusive Special Excise Court no. 3, Saran at Chapra in connection with Nagra P.S. Case No. 138 of 2025 subject to



the condition as laid down under Section 482 (2) of the B.N.S.S.
2023.

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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