

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.10739 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-235 Year-2025 Thana- LALIT NARAYAN UNIVERSITY
District- Darbhanga

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Umesh Sah Son of Late Laxmi Sah R/O Village/Mohalla- Bakarganj
Abhanda, P.S.- Laheriasarai, Distt.- Darbhanga

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ratnakar Jha
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Suresh Prasad Singh

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

- 2 16-04-2026 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.
2. The petitioner seeks bail in a case registered for the
offence punishable under Sections 21(c), 22 of the NDPS Act
and Section 30(a) of Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner is a person with clean antecedent and is in custody
since 17.09.2025 and allegation is of recovery of 132 litres of
Codeine syrup from an auto. It is next submitted that petitioner
was not arrested from the spot as such nothing was recovered
from his conscious possession and is not the owner of the seized
auto and he came to be implicated based on the fact that he was
driving the auto when the Codeine was seized. It is further



submitted that petitioner was not involved in the occurrence rather it appears that some passenger left the Codeine in the auto and fled seeing the police. It is also submitted that if privilege of regular bail is granted to the petitioner, the petitioner will not abscond rather will cooperate in the trial to prove his innocence.

4. Learned A.P.P. opposes the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

5. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petitioner above-named, is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned trial court where the case is pending/successor court in connection with P.T.N. No.1992 of 2025, arising out of L.N.M.U. P.S. Case No.235/2025.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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