

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.12416 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-449 Year-2025 Thana- PIPRAKOTHI District- East Champaran

Rupanti Devi W/o Ajay Rai Resident of Village- Barkurwa, P.S.- Piprakothi,
Dist.- East Champaran, Bihar

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Tripti Singh, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Anand Kishore Choudhary, A.P.P.

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

ORAL ORDER

2 24-02-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with
Piprakothi P.S. Case No. 449 of 2025, instituted for the offences
punishable under Sections 274, 275,123 and 110 of the
Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 and u/s 30(a) of the Bihar
Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. The prosecution case, in short, is that total 100
liters of country made liquor and 50 Litres of spirit were
recovered from the house of the petitioner. Petitioner was
arrested on the spot.

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. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submitted that the recovery has been made from joint house of the petitioner, where other family members also reside. The petitioner is a lady. The petitioner is in custody since 30.12.2025 and has got no criminal antecedent. There is no compliance of Section 103 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023.

5. Learned APP 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 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/- (Rupees Fifteen Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of Court below/concerned Court in connection with Piprakothi P.S. Case No. 449 of 2025.

(Rudra Prakash Mishra, J)

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