

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.17280 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-491 Year-2025 Thana- PHULPARAS District- Madhubani

Mahesh Yadav @ Mahesh Kumar Yadav S/O Mohan Yadav R/O Vill.-
Vikramrahi, P.S- Ghoghardiha, District- Madhubani

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Jitendra Kumar Bharti, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Awadhesh Kumar Singh, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 07-04-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the
State.

2. Petitioner apprehends arrest in connection with
Phulparas P. S. Case No. 491 of 2025 registered for the offences
punishable under Sections 30(a), 38(1) and 41(1) of Bihar
Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per prosecution case, 4462.905 liters of illicit
liquor was recovered from the seized Truck.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that no
incriminating material has been recovered from the conscious
possession of the petitioner. Petitioner is neither driver nor
owner of the vehicle in question and he has got no concern with
the alleged recovery. He has been made accused in this case
only on suspicion.



5. Learned A.P.P. for the State opposes the prayer for bail and submits that the petitioner has got ten criminal antecedents out of which nine are of similar nature.

6. Considering huge quantity of recovery and criminal antecedents of similar nature, prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioner is refused.

(Prabhat Kumar Singh, J)

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