

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.19832 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-71 Year-2026 Thana- Excise P.S. District- Banka

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1. Rishidev Kumar @ Rishidev Kumar Paswan son of Raj Kumar Paswann Resident of village- Lojiyanagar Ward no. 32, P.S -Chitragupta Nagar, Dist- Khagaria
 2. Balbir Kumar Paswan Son of Rajmani Paswan Resident of village- Lojiyanagar Ward no. 32, P.S -Chitragupta Nagar, Dist- Khagaria

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Dhananjay Kumar Pandey
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Md. Iftekhar Mahmood

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 31-03-2026 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioners seek regular bail in connection with Banka Excise Sadar P.S. Case No. 71 of 2026 registered for the offence under Sections 30(a) and 32(3) of the Bihar Prohibition & Excise Act.

3. There is recovery of 6188.40 liters of foreign made liquor from the seized tanker.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners are in custody since 15.02.2026, are quite innocent and have falsely been implicated in the present case. He further submits that the petitioners undertake to donate Rs.



25,000/- (Rs. Twenty Five Thousand) each in some charitable organization without accepting their guilt.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances and the submissions of the parties, this application for regular bail is allowed.

7. Let the petitioners, above named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) each with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned concerned Court below, Banka in connection with Banka Excise Sadar P.S. Case No. 71 of 2026 subject to conditions that:-

(I). The petitioners shall deposit an amount of Rs. 25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand Only) each in Ramakrishna Mission Vidyapith, Ramakrishna Nagar, P.O. Vidyapith Deoghar, Jharkhand and produce the receipt of the same before the Court below. The bail bonds of the petitioners shall be accepted only after verifying the genuineness of the receipt produced by the petitioners.

(ii). The petitioners are directed to mark their attendance at Chitragupta Nagar Police Station, Khagaria on every Sunday of each month. Failure to do so, will result in



cancellation of bail bonds of the petitioners.
(iii). Both the bailors will be close
blood relative of the petitioners.

8. It is made clear that any observation made herein is *prima facie* in nature and limited solely for the purpose of adjudication of the present bail application. Such observations shall not be construed as an expression on the merits of the case and shall not influence the trial or any other proceedings in any manner.

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(Sandeep Kumar, J)

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