

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.22405 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-25 Year-2026 Thana- Excise P.S. District- Saran

Nandu kumar Son of Late Lal Bahadur Singh Resident of village- Kaswa, Ps-
Salimpur, Dist- Patna

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ranjit Kumar Thakur, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Kanhiya Kishor, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR VERMA
ORAL ORDER

2 07-04-2026 Heard Mr. Ranjit Kumar Thakur, learned counsel for
the petitioner and Mr. Kanhiya Kishor, learned Additional
Public Prosecutor for the State.

2. Petitioner seeks bail who is in custody since
03.02.2026 in connection with Sadar Excise P.S. Case No. 25 of
2026, F.I.R. dated 02.02.2026 for the offences punishable under
Sections 30(a) and 32(3) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act,
2016.

3. Recovery is of 248.100 liters of illicit foreign liquor.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner has clean antecedent and he has falsely been
implicated in the present case. He further submits that it appears
from the F.I.R. as well as seizure list that nothing has been
recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner rather



the recovery has been made from the vehicle in question and petitioner is the driver of the said vehicle. He further submits that the petitioner has no concern at all from the recovery of the illicit liquor. It appears from the seizure list that there is non-compliance of Section 103/105 of the BNSS, 2023. The petitioner is in custody since 03.02.2026.

5 The learned Additional Public Prosecutor has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances that nothing has been recovered from the conscious possession of the petitioner, petitioner has clean antecedent and there is non-compliance of Section 103/105 of the BNSS, 2023, let the petitioner, above named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Exclusive Special Excise Court No. 3, Saran at Chapra in connection with Sadar Excise P.S. Case No. 25 of 2026 subject to the following conditions:-

i. Petitioner shall co-operate in the trial and shall be properly represented on each and every date fixed by the court and shall remain physically present as directed by the court and on his absence on two consecutive dates without sufficient



reason, his bail bond shall be cancelled by the Court below.

ii. If the petitioner tampers with the evidence or the witnesses, in that case, the prosecution will be at liberty to move for cancellation of bail.

iii. And further condition that the court below shall verify the criminal antecedent of the petitioner and in case at any stage it is found that the petitioner has concealed his criminal antecedent, the court below shall take step for cancellation of bail bond of the petitioner. However, the acceptance of bail bonds in terms of the above-mentioned order shall not be delayed for purpose of or in the name of verification.

(Rajesh Kumar Verma, J)

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