

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.24075 of 2026**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-16 Year-2026 Thana- LAKHISARAI District- Lakhisarai

Suraj Kumar Son of Shankar Saw Resident of - Purani Bazar, Mahavir  
Asthan, P.S.- Lakhisarai, District - Lakhisarai.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sanjeev Kumar

For the Opposite Party/s : Md. Nazir Ansari

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA**  
**ORAL ORDER**

- 2      18-04-2026      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  
offences punishable under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Excise  
Act.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that  
petitioner has antecedent of 11 cases under the Excise Act and  
allegation is of recovery of 750 ml of liquor from possession of  
Radhe Shyam Kumar.
4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that  
petitioner was not apprehended from the spot as such nothing  
was recovered from his conscious possession and even alleged  
recovery is from Radhe Shyam with whom petitioner has no  
concern or relation and he came to be implicated based on



confessional statement of Radhe Shyam in police custody which does not have any evidentiary value. It is also submitted that once an accused is implicated in a case relating to excise, the police starts implicating mechanically either at the instance of *Chowkidar*, local person, confessional statement or secret information without holding a proper investigation. It is also submitted that petitioner is in custody since 16.03.2026 and if privilege of bail is granted, the petitioner will not abscond rather will cooperate in the trial to prove his innocence.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State opposes the bail application of the petitioner.

6. 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. 5000/- (Rupees 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 Lakhisarai P.S. Case No. 16 of 2026.

**(Satyavrat Verma, J)**

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