

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.27960 of 2026

Arising out of PS. Case No.-197 Year-2026 Thana- ALAMGANJ District- Patna

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1. Vikas Kumar S/o Mahesh Rai @ Mahesh Kumar Resident of Village- Terahrasia, P.S.- Gangabridge, District- Vaishali at Hajipur
 2. Shivraj Kumar S/o Vinay Rai Resident of Village- Rani Pokhar, P.S.- Sarai, District- Vaishali at Hajipur Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ravi Shanker Pankaj, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Ramesh Chandra, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANSUL
ORAL ORDER

3 13-05-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned
Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

2. The petitioners seek bail in Alamganj P.S. Case No.
197 of 2026 registered under section 30(a) of the Bihar
Prohibition and Excise Amended Act, 2022.

3. The allegation is that the petitioners were riding the
Scooty from which 200 litres of country made liquor was
recovered.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the
recovery has not been made from the conscious possession of
the petitioners. It is further submitted that the Scooty does not
belong to the petitioners. It is also submitted that the petitioners
are in custody since 02.03.2026.

5. Learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the State
has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail of the petitioners.



6. Considering that recovery has not been made from the conscious possession of the petitioners and the petitioners are in custody since 02.03.2026, this Court is inclined to grant bail to the petitioners.

7. Let the petitioners, above named, be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Exclusive Special Judge, Excise, Patna City, Patna in connection with Alamganj P.S. Case No. 197 of 2026, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 483(2) of the Bhartiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita.

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.

(Ansul, J)

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