

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.25684 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-377 Year-2025 Thana- MIRGANJ District- Gopalganj

Sanny Manjhi @ Shani Kumar S/O Ghura Manjhi Resident of Village-
Ramgarh, P.S- Nautan, Distt.- Nautan, District- Siwan.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sudhanshu Prakash

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Sanjay Kumar Tiwary

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 06-05-2026 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the
learned counsel for the State.

2. The petitioner apprehends arrest in connection with
Mirganj P.S. Case No. 377 of 2025 registered for offences
under Sections 315(5) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 and
Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, 159.840 liters of illicit
liquor have been recovered from the vehicle. The name of the
petitioner has come in the case on the statement of the
Chowkidar who has identified the petitioner. The petitioner has
five criminal antecedents also.

4. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case
including the recovery of illicit liquor and the nature and gravity
of the offence, this Court finds that it is not a fit case for the



grant of anticipatory bail.

5. Accordingly, the application for anticipatory bail is hereby rejected.

6. It is, however, clarified that the observations made herein are limited to the adjudication of the present application and shall not prejudice the case of the petitioner at any subsequent stage of the proceedings.

(Sandeep Kumar, J)

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