

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.28986 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-760 Year-2025 Thana- SONEPUR District- Saran

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Guddu Ray @ Gudu Rai S/O Late Wakil Rai @ Late Bakil Ray R/O Village-
Rahimpur, P.S-Sonepur, Dist-Saran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sanjeet Kumar Singh

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Suman Kumari Singh

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

- 2 04-05-2026 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 seven cases under the Excise Act
and allegation is of recovery of 600 liters of liquor from bank of
river Ganga.
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 a place which does not belong to the petitioner
and is accessible to public at large. 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 10.03.2026.

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 Sonapur P.S. Case No. 760 of 2025.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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