

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.28315 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-119 Year-2026 Thana- Excise P.S. District- Madhubani

Pradeep Mukhiya son of Saryug Mukhiya R/vill- Mangotoli Belahi, P.S.-
Kaluahi, Distt-Madhubani

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rahul Kumar, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Kumar Ranjit Ranjan, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR PANDEY
ORAL ORDER

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

2. The petitioner has prayed for regular bail in a case registered for the offence punishable under section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. The case of the prosecution is that from a bike, altogether 16 liters of illicit liquor was recovered.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is innocent and has committed no offence. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that nothing has been recovered from the possession of the petitioner. He has been falsely implicated in this case as he was standing near the place of recovery. The said bike does not belong to the petitioner. He has no concern either with the alleged liquor or with the alleged



bike. There is no independent witness of the seizure list rather they are police personnel. Moreover, he is languishing in judicial custody since 18.03.2026.

5. Learned APP appearing for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer of regular bail and submitted that petitioner is having criminal antecedent of two cases of similar nature.

6. Having heard learned counsel for the parties and considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this court is inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. The above named petitioner is directed to be released on bail in connection with Madhubani Excise P.S. Case No. 119 of 2026 on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Special Excise Judge, Madhubani **with a condition that the petitioner will not indulge himself in similar nature of offences in future.**

(Ashok Kumar Pandey, J)

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