

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.36056 of 2026**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-146 Year-2026 Thana- PHULPARAS District- Madhubani

Ram Lochan Yadav @ Ramlochan Yadav Son of Sri Chandra Yadav @  
Chandra Yadav @ Srichandra Yadav @ Sirchandra Yadav Resident of village  
- Chikana, Ward No. 9, P.S.- Ghoghardiha, District - Madhubani.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Jitendra Kumar Bharti, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Md. Shakir Ahmad, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE JUSTICE SMT. SONI SHRIVASTAVA**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      08-06-2026                      Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned  
APP for the State through virtual mode.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in a case registered for  
the offence punishable under Sections 30(a), 38(1), 41(1) of the  
Bihar Prohibition and Excise (Amendment) Act, 2022.

3. As per the prosecution case, 3229.365 litres of  
illicit liquor was recovered from a Tank lorry.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that  
petitioner is neither the owner nor the driver of the said vehicle.  
There is no independent witness to search and seizure. Altogether,  
5 persons were apprehended on the spot and police did not  
comply the provisions of Section 105 of the BNSS. Further, two  
similarly situated co-accused persons, namely, Kundan Kumar  
and Suman Kumar have been granted bail by Coordinate Benches  
of this Court vide order dated 20.05.2026 and 21.05.2026 in Cr.  
Misc. No. 34922 of 2026 and Cr. Misc. No.35171 of 2026



respectively. Petitioner is in custody since 11.04.2026.

5. Learned APP for the State opposed the grant of bail on the ground that the petitioner has three criminal antecedent of similar nature. However, in response it has been submitted that the petitioner is on bail in all these cases.

6. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case, let the above named petitioner, be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Exclusive Special Judge, Excise, Jhanjharpur, District-Madhubani/concerned Court below in connection with Phulparas P.S. Case No. 146 of 2026 subject to condition that:-

(i) One of the bailors will be his own blood relative, preferably, father, mother, brother, sister.

(ii) The petitioner shall remain physically present in court on each and every date during trial and in the event of failure on two consecutive dates without sufficient reasons, his bail bonds shall be liable to be cancelled by the learned court concerned.

**(Soni Shrivastava, J)**

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