

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.37847 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-11 Year-2026 Thana- NATIONAL HIGHWAY District-
Samastipur

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Pankaj Kumar S/o Fekan Mahto Resident of Village - Harishankarpur
Baghauni, P.S. - Tajpur, Dist. - Samastipur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Anish Kumar

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

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA
ORAL ORDER

- 2 01-07-2026 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and
learned APP for the State.
2. The petitioner seeks bail in a case registered for the
offences punishable under Section 30(a) of the Excise Act.
3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
the petitioner has antecedent of one case and is in custody since
23.03.2026 and allegation is of recovery of 320.760 litres of
liquor from an auto.
4. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that
petitioner was not arrested from the spot, as such, nothing was
recovered from his conscious possession and is not the owner of
the seized auto and he came to be implicated based on secret
information which is the easiest way to implicate someone



without holding a proper investigation.

5. Learned A.P.P. opposes the bail application.

6. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and taking into consideration the period of custody, the petitioner, above-named, is directed to be released on regular bail on his furnishing bail-bonds in the sum of Rs.5,000/- (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 N.H. Bangra P. S. Case No.11 of 2026.

7. The application stands allowed.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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