

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.41400 of 2026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-73 Year-2026 Thana- Excise Mashrakh District- Saran

Abhishek Ranjan @ Abhishek Kumar Son of Late Arun Ray Resident of
Village - Asoiyan (Asoia), P.S.- Marhowrah (Marhaura), District - Saran at
Chapra

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Dewendra Narayan Singh, Adv.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Ram Anurag Singh, APP

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 25-06-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.P.P. for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks regular bail in connection with
Mashrakh Excise P.S. Case No. 73 of 2026, registered for the
offences punishable under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition
and Excise Act, 2022.

3. As per the prosecution case, there is recovery of
92.580 litres of illicit liquor.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner is quite innocent and has committed no offence. The
petitioner is in custody since 06.06.2026 and claims clean
antecedent. The petitioner undertakes to donate a sum of Rs.
25,000/- (Rupees Twenty-Five Thousand Only) to a charitable



organization, without prejudice to his defence and without admitting guilt.

5. Learned A.P.P. for the State opposed the prayer for bail.

6. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, this application for regular bail is allowed.

7. Accordingly, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Court concerned where the case is pending/successor court in connection with Mashrakh Excise P.S. Case No. 73 of 2026, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 482(2) of the B.N.S.S. with further conditions that:-

(i) The petitioner shall deposit a sum of Rs. 25,000/- (Rupees Twenty-Five Thousand Only) with Ramakrishna Mission Ashrama, Latu Maharaj Path , Opp. Circuit House, Chapra, Bihar 841 301 and shall produce a valid receipt thereof before the court below. The bail bonds shall be accepted only after verification of the genuineness of the said receipt.

(ii) The petitioner shall mark his attendance at Marhowrah (Marhaura) Police Station on first and third Sunday of each month. In the



event of default, the bail bonds shall be liable to be cancelled.

(iii) At the time of acceptance of bail bonds, the court below shall verify the antecedents of the petitioner. The bail bonds shall be accepted only upon confirmation that the petitioner has no criminal antecedent. However, such verification shall not be used as a ground to unnecessarily delay acceptance of the bail bonds.

8. It is made clear that any observation made herein is *prima facie* in nature and limited solely for the purpose of adjudication of the present bail application. Such observations shall not be construed as an expression on the merits of the case and shall not influence the trial or any other proceedings in any manner.

(Sandeep Kumar, J)

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