

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No. 42918 of 2026**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-38 Year-2024 Thana- AIRPORT District- Patna

Monu Kumar, S/o Raj Kumar, R/o Road No. 7, B.V. College, Rukunpura,  
P.S.- Hawaii Adda, Distt.- Patna

... .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Opposite Party

**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rakesh Bihari Singh, Advocate

For the Opposite Party/s : Dr. Kumar Uday Pratap, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRA SHEKHAR JHA**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      02-07-2026                      Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and  
  
learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the State.

2. The accused/petitioner is not named in the FIR  
  
and apprehending his arrest in connection with Hawaii Adda  
  
P.S. Case No.38 of 2024 registered under Section 30(a) of  
  
the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act, 2018.

3. Allegation against the petitioner is to engage in  
  
illegal trade/manufacturing of illicit liquor, where there is  
  
recovery of 6.9 litres of IMFL/country-made liquor.

4. It is submitted by learned counsel appearing for  
  
the petitioner that the seized illicit liquor was recovered from



a Car bearing Registration No. BR-01PF-9746. It is further submitted that the petitioner's name has been surfaced in the present case solely on the ground that he is the registered owner of the seized vehicle, and not on the basis of any material demonstrating his conscious possession, involvement or complicity in the alleged offence. The petitioner has one criminal antecedent of similar nature, in which, he is on bail.

5. Learned APP opposed the prayer of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6. In view of aforesaid factual submissions and by taking of note of fact as recovery of illicit liquor *prima facie* not appears to be made from physical possession of this petitioner, accordingly, the petitioner above-named, in the event of his arrest or surrender in the court below within a period of four weeks from today, is directed to 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 Special Judge Excise-I, Patna in connection with Hawai Adda P.S. Case No.38 of 2024,



subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2)  
of the CrPC/under Section 482(2) of the BNSS.

**(Chandra Shekhar Jha, J.)**

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