IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.76500 of 2026

CNR No. BRHC011097402026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-218 Year-2026 Thana- KALUAHI District- Madhubani

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Guriya Kumari W/o Shyam Mahto Resident of Village - Monirabad, P.S. - Bisfi, Distt. - Madhubani.

... ... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... ... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Shailendra Kumar Jha, Advocate.

For the Opposite Party/s : Mr.Kanhiya Kishor, APP.

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH

ORAL ORDER

2 05-11-2026 Heard learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner and learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks pre-arrest bail in connection with Kaluahi P.S. Case No. 218 of 2026 registered for the offence punishable under Section 30(a) of the Bihar Prohibition and Excise Act.

3. Allegation is of recovery of 18.300 litres of illicit liquor from the motorcycle bearing Registration No. BR07AV2365.

4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is innocent and she has been falsely implicated in the case. She is the owner of the

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motorcycle from which illicit liquor is said to have been recovered. She resides in her in-laws house and her dewar's friend, namely, Sumit Sah had taken the motorcycle for some work. She has no concern either with the seized liquor or trade of liquor in any manner. The petitioner has clean antecedent.

5. Learned APP for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner.

6. Having considered the rival submissions made on behalf of the parties and the nature of allegation against the petitioner and the fact the place of recovery is an open place which is accessible to anyone, the petitioner, above named, is directed to be released on pre-arrest bail, in the event of her arrest or surrender before the Court below within a period of four weeks from today, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned District Court where the case is pending in connection with Kaluahi P.S. Case No. 218 of 2026, subject to the condition as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C / Section 482 (2) BNSS.

7. The District Court is directed to verify the criminal antecedent of the petitioner and if it is found that the petitioner is involved in some other cases as what has been stated in Para-

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3 of the bail petition, this order will automatically lose its force.

8. The bail application stands disposed of.

(Purnendu Singh, J)

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