

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI**  
**Cr. Appeal (S.J.) No. 1255 of 2008**

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| Nageshwar Pandey & Ors.                   | ... | Appellants  |
| <b>Versus</b>                             |     |             |
| The State of Jharkhand & Anr.             | ... | Respondents |
| <b>WITH</b>                               |     |             |
| <b>Cr. Appeal (S.J.) No. 1293 of 2008</b> |     |             |
| Gayaditya Pandey @ Gaya Pandey            | ... | Appellant   |
| <b>Versus</b>                             |     |             |
| The State of Jharkhand                    | ... | Respondent  |

**Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRADEEP KUMAR SRIVASTAVA**

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| For the Appellants | : Mr. Amit Kumar Das, Sr. Advocate<br>Mr. Vineet Sinha, Adv.<br>[Cr. Appeal (S.J.) No. 1255 of 2008] |
| For the State      | : Mr. Vijoy Kumar Sinha, A.P.P.                                                                      |

**Order No.08/Dated- 01.07.2026**

It is submitted by learned counsel for the appellants that appellant No.1 and appellant No.5 have expired in Cr. Appeal (S.J.) No.1255 of 2008.

In view of the above circumstances, learned A.P.P. is directed to call for a report from concerned Police Station regarding whereabouts of the appellants, whether they are dead or alive and also to produce custody report of the appellants during investigation, trial and post-conviction by way of an affidavit.

List these cases on 17.07.2026.

**(Pradeep Kumar Srivastava, J.)**