

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

S.A. No. 556 of 2004

Mhd. Ishaque Ali and Ors. **Appellants**
Versus
The State through D.C. Dumka and Ors. **Respondents**

CORAM :HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANUBHA RAWAT CHOUDHARY

For the Appellants : Mr. Lukesh Kumar, Advocate
For the Respondents : None

18/05.01.2026

I.A. No.2960 of 2013

2. Nobody appears on behalf of the respondents.
3. This petition has been filed for substitution of appellant no.1, who is said to have expired on 13.11.2010, respondent no.4, who is said to have expired on 18.03.2008 and respondent no.5 said to have expired on 14.11.2010. A petition for setting aside abetment and for condonation of delay in filing the substitution petition has been filed through I.A. No.3921 of 2025 and I.A. No.2961 of 2013 respectively.
4. The learned counsel for the appellants has submitted that the delay in filing petition for substitution in connection with the appellant no.1 is 625 days, with respect to respondent no.4 is 1651 days and in respect to respondent no.5, it is 624 days.
5. Let notice be issued to the proposed legal heirs and successors of respondent no.4 as well as respondent no.5, through the concerned police station, for which requisites be filed within a week, whose details have been mentioned in I.A. No.2960 of 2013.
6. The learned counsel has submitted that so far as the legal heirs and successors of appellant no.1 is concerned, they shall file *vakalatnama* on their behalf within 10 days.
7. It is made clear that at the time of service of notice, Adhar card of the concerned person be also annexed with the service report.
8. Post this case on 16.02.2026.

(Anubha Rawat Choudhary, J.)