

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
Cr. Appeal (SJ) No.196 of 2026

Kumari Ratnakar @ Ratnakar Kumari @ Ratnakar Devi.
... Appellant
Versus
The State of Jharkhand & Anr. ... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR CHOUDHARY

For the Appellant : Mr. Sidharth Sudhanshu, Advocate
For the State : Mr. V.K. Vashistha, Spl. P.P.

Order No:-04 Dated:-25-03-2026

I.A. No.3750 of 2026

Heard the parties.

Learned counsel for the appellant submits that this interlocutory application has been filed with the prayer to delete the respondent no.2, as he is not a necessary party to this appeal being not a victim of the case in respect of which this appeal has been preferred.

Considering the aforesaid facts, the prayer is allowed.

Registry is directed to delete the name of the respondent no.2 -Jaleshwar Mahato from the array of the respondents in the cause title of this criminal appeal.

Accordingly, this Interlocutory Application is allowed.

(Anil Kumar Choudhary, J.)

I.A. No.4149 of 2026

Heard the parties.

Learned counsel for the appellant submits that this interlocutory application has been filed with the prayer to add Raghunath Bouri and Hari Prasad Bouri as respondent nos. 2 & 3 of this appeal as they are the victims.

The learned counsel for the appellant submits that the names, parentage and addresses of the proposed respondent nos. 2 & 3 have been mentioned in para-4 of this interlocutory application.

Considering the aforesaid facts, prayer is allowed.

Registry is directed to incorporate the names, parentage and addresses of Raghunath Bouri and Hari Prasad Bouri as respondent nos. 2 & 3 of this appeal in the cause title of the appeal memo with red ink.

Accordingly, this Interlocutory Application is allowed.

(Anil Kumar Choudhary, J.)

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Issue notice to the respondent nos. 2 & 3 in the matter of Interlocutory Application and Appeal by speed post as well as under process of the court for which requisites etc. must be filed within one week by the appellant, failing which, this criminal appeal shall stand dismissed without further reference to the Bench.

Notice is made returnable within six weeks.

In case, the requisites are filed, list this criminal appeal after receipt of the service report of the notice issued to the respondent nos. 2 & 3.

(Anil Kumar Choudhary, J.)