

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
A.B.A. No. 1554 of 2026

Arun Sao, son of Chhatradhari Saw, resident of Village Chalkusha, P.O. and
P.S. Chalkusha, District Hazaribagh, Jharkhand

.... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Jharkhand Opposite Party

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR DWIVEDI

For the Petitioner : Mr. K.S. Nanda, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Rakesh Kumar Sinha, A.P.P.
For the Informant : Mr. Gautam Kumar, Advocate

02/13.04.2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned A.P.P for
the State.

2. The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in connection with
Chalkusha P.S. Case No. 71 of 2025, registered for the offence under
Sections 191(2), 191(3), 190, 115(2), 126(2), 109, 103(1), 352 of Bhartiya
Nyaya Sanhita, 2023, pending in the court of learned Judicial Magistrate, 1st
Class, Hazaribag.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the
petitioner has been falsely implicated in the case and the other co-accused
have been granted anticipatory bail by the learned Sessions Judge. He
submits that wife of this petitioner has also been granted anticipatory bail by
the impugned order itself. On this ground, anticipatory bail may kindly be
granted.

4. Learned A.P.P. appearing for the State as well as learned
counsel for the informant have vehemently opposed the prayer and submits
that there is direct allegation of assault on the head by this petitioner,
pursuant to that the deceased had died. On this ground, the anticipatory
may kindly be rejected.

5. So far the other co-accused persons are concerned, that
allegations are not there against them. Even in the impugned order the wife
of the informant has been granted anticipatory bail by the learned Sessions
Judge on considering that aspect of the matter. So far this petitioner is
concerned, allegations are there of assault. In the attending facts and
circumstance, I am not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Accordingly, this anticipatory bail is hereby rejected.

(Sanjay Kumar Dwivedi, J.)