

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
Cr. Appeal (SJ) No. 369 of 2025

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Suresh Yadav	Versus	 Appellant
The State of Jharkhand		 Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY PRASAD

For the Appellant	: Mr. Lakhan Chandra Roy, Advocate
For the State	: Mr. Rakesh Kumar Sinha, A. P. P.
For the Informant	: Mr. Vikesh Kumar, Advocate

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I. A. No. 268 of 2026

02/12.01.2026 This Criminal Appeal has been filed on behalf of the appellant challenging the impugned judgment of conviction and order of sentence dated 28.02.2025 passed by Sri Rajesh Kumar Bagga, learned Additional Sessions Judge-IX, Giridih in connection with Jamua P. S. Case No. 78 of 2015 corresponding to S. T. No. 201 of 2015 by which the appellant has been convicted for the offences under Sections 304 Part-I, 323 and 324 of the Indian Penal Code and sentenced to undergo R. I. for a period of seven (7) years and to pay fine of Rs. 5,000/- under Section 304 Part-I of the Indian Penal Code and sentenced to undergo R. I. for a period of one (1) year and to pay fine of Rs. 500/- for the offence under Section 323 of the Indian Penal Code and sentenced to undergo R. I. for a period of two (2) years and to pay fine of Rs. 1,000/- for the offence under Section 324 of the Indian Penal Code

All the sentences have been directed to run concurrently.

2. I. A. No. 268 of 2026 has been filed on behalf of the appellant under Section 430(1) of the BNSS, 2023 for grant of provisional bail for a period of four weeks on account of death of his father namely Ram Ruchi Yadav.

3. Heard learned counsel for the appellant, learned counsel for the State and learned counsel for the Informant.
4. It is submitted that during the pendency of this Criminal Appeal, father of the appellant namely Ram Ruchi Yadav has died on 05.01.2026 and in support of the same, the death certificate issued on 08.01.2026 by Jaibun Nisha, Mukhia, Gram Panchyat – Chakmanji, Block- Jamua (Giridih) has also been enclosed to this Interlocutory Application. It is submitted that the appellant may be permitted to participate in the Hindu rituals of remembrance and offering of honor to his father to express his gratitude and the ritual is being performed after the death of his father from 05.01.2026 to 16.01.2026 and as such, provisional bail may be granted to the appellant for a period of four (4) weeks.
5. Learned counsel for the State and learned counsel for the Informant have raised no objection, however, they have submitted that instead of four (4) weeks' time, some time may be granted and the appellant may be directed to surrender on any specific date.
6. Having heard learned counsel the parties and from going through the records, it appears that father of the appellant namely Late Ram Ruchi Yadav has died on 05.01.2026 and in support of the same, learned counsel for the appellant has produced the death certificate issued on 08.01.2026 by Jaibun Nisha, Mukhia, Gram Panchyat – Chakmanji, Block- Jamua (Giridih) intimation regarding death of Late Ram Ruch Yadav i.e. the father of the appellant to the Jail Superintendent, Central Jail, Hazaribag and which has also been enclosed to this Interlocutory Application.
7. Under the circumstances, the appellant namely Suresh Yadav is directed to be released on provisional bail for the period

of two (2) weeks from today, on furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Rs. Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each, to the satisfaction of Sri Rajesh Kumar Bagga, learned Additional Sessions Judge-IX, Giridih/or his Successor Court in connection with Jamua P. S. Case No. 78 of 2015 corresponding to S. T. No. 201 of 2015.

8. The appellant is directed to surrender within two (2) weeks from the date of being released from the Jail and shall file Surrender Certificate by filing the Supplementary Affidavit with regard to surrender before the learned Court below.

9. Put up this case on 30.01.2026.

10. Thus, I. A. No. 268 of 2026 is allowed and stands disposed of.

11. Let a copy of this order be sent to the learned Court below for the needful.

(Sanjay Prasad, J.)

Dated 12.01.1026
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