

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
Criminal Appeal (SJ) No. 344 of 2019

Prabhu Mahto ... Appellant
Versus
The State of Jharkhand ... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RONGON MUKHOPADHYAY

For the Appellant : Mr. Lakhn Chandra Roy, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Shekhar Sinha, PP

Order No. 07 Dated 17th December, 2021

I.A. No. 5269 of 2021

Heard the learned counsel appearing for the respective parties.

This application has been preferred by the appellant renewing his prayer for grant of bail during the pendency of this appeal.

The appellant had been convicted for the offences under Sections 304B/ 201 I.P.C. and was sentenced to 7 years rigorous imprisonment along with a fine of Rs. 25,000/- for the offence under Section 304B I.P.C.

It has been submitted by the learned counsel for the appellant that during trial he was in custody for about 10 months and after his conviction he is in custody for about 2 years 10 months which in effect means that he has completed more than half of the sentence.

On consideration of the aforesaid facts, during the pendency of this appeal, the appellant is directed to be released on bail during pendency of this appeal, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Rs. Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned trial court [Additional Sessions Judge-II, Deoghar] in connection with Sessions Trial No. 88 of 2009.

I.A. No. 5269 of 2021 stands allowed and disposed of.

(RONGON MUKHOPADHYAY,J.)