

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
Cr. Revision (Filing) No.7940 of 2025

Akhilesh Kumar, aged about 61 years, S/o - Late Prabhu Prasad, R/o-
Rajendra Nagar, P.O. + P.S. Nawada, District Nawada, Bihar-805110.
... Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Jharkhand
2. Gautam Singh Kalra, age not known, S/o - Kulbir Singh Kalra, R/o
Village - Old Bus Stand, Ward No. 18, P.O.- Jhumri Telaiya, P.S. -
Telaiya, District - Koderma, Jharkhand - 825409.
... Opp. Parties

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR DWIVEDI

For the Petitioner : Mr. Shubhashish Rasik Soren, Advocate.
Ms. Shobha gloria Lakra, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Prabir Kr. Chatterjee, Spl. PP

5/19.01.2026 Heard learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and learned
counsel appearing for the State.

2. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the
matter is arising out of section 138 of Negotiable Instrument Act and
the IA No.9502 of 2025 has been filed for exemption to surrender of
the petitioner before the learned court and that may kindly be
allowed.

3. He submits that the petitioner is ready to pay a sum of Rs. 2
lakhs, however that is without prejudice to the right made in the
present case. Only for the purpose for exemption, the petitioner will
pay Rs.2 lakh within a week to the opposite party No.2.

4. In view of such submission, the petitioner is directed to deposit
a bank draft of Rs.2 lakh in the office of learned Registrar General of
this Court. The matter is compoundable in the light of section 147 of
the Negotiable Instrument Act and the petitioner for exemption is

paying Rs.2 lakh. In view of that, exceptional circumstance is made out to exempt the petitioner to surrender before the learned court in the light of Rule 159 of the Jharkhand High Court Rules.

5. As such the petitioner is exempted to surrender before the learned court and IA No.9502 of 2025 meant for exemption of the petitioner is allowed and disposed of.

6. Issue notice to the opposite party No.2 in the limitation matter and requisites shall be filed within a week.

7. Office shall proceed further as per the procedure. Let this matter appear on 24th March 2026 for orders.

(Sanjay Kumar Dwivedi, J.)

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