

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
A.B.A. Filing No. 8713 of 2026

Ram Prasad Mahto

... **Petitioner**

-Versus-

The State of Jharkhand

... **Opposite Party**

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR DWIVEDI

For the Petitioner : Ms. Jyoti Kumari, Advocate

For the State : Mr. Sanat Kumar Jha, A.P.P.

02/09.06.2026 Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that inadvertently A.B.A.

has been filed in place of Criminal Appeal (SJ) as the matter is arising out of

Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.

She seeks permission to convert this A.B.A. into Criminal Appeal (SJ).

2. In view of her such submission, permission is accorded.

3. The petitioner is put at liberty to convert this A.B.A. into Criminal Appeal (SJ).

4. Office will proceed further as per the procedure.

(Sanjay Kumar Dwivedi, J.)

Dated: 9th June, 2026
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