

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

W.P.(S). (Filing) No. 5075 of 2026

Santosh Kumar

..... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Jharkhand & Ors.

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK ROSHAN

For the Petitioner : Mr. L.C.N. Shahedeo, Advocate
Mr. Yash Raj Gupta, Advocate

For the State : Mr. Shaurya Dwivedi, Advocate
Mr. Rakesh Kr. Roy, AC to GA-III

02/ 01.05.2026 Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to remove the defects as pointed-out by the Office, by Monday (04.05.2026).

2. However, looking to the urgency of this case, the matter is taken-up for hearing.

3. After going through the impugned order, it is evident that the same is punitive in nature.

4. Accordingly, the impugned order of transfer dated 17.04.2026 (Annexure-7) shall not be given effect to and is stayed till the next date of hearing.

5. List this case on 11.06.2026.

6. In the meantime, the respondent-State is directed to seek instruction and file counter-affidavit.

(Deepak Roshan, J.)

1st May, 2026
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