

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
Criminal Appeal (S.J.) No. 143 of 2000

Ram Pravesh Mishra

..... Appellant

Versus

The State of Bihar

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY PRASAD

For the Appellant : Mr. Naveen, Advocate

For the C.B.I. : Mr. Nitish Parth Sarthi,
A.C. to A.S.G.I.

23/06.12.2023 It appears that vide order dated 28.08.2023, C.B.I. was directed to seek instruction from the concerned department about the whereabouts of the appellant by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court, however, no report was submitted on 21.09.2023 and even till date. It also appears from the record that although the case was adjourned also on 21.09.2023, 04.10.2023 and 06.11.2023, but no report has been submitted by that time by the C.B.I. Even today, when the case is called out, learned Associate Counsel to the A.S.G.I. prays for time to ascertain the whereabouts of the petitioner.

2. Under the circumstances, Call for a report from the Superintendent of Police, C.B.I. for not informing the Court till date regarding the whereabouts of the appellant, in the light of the order dated 28.08.2023 passed by the Co-ordinate Bench of this Court. The Superintendent of Police, C.B.I. shall also appear in person to assist this Court on the next date of hearing.

3. Issue show-cause Notice to the appellant as to why the bail of the appellant be not cancelled as the learned counsel for the appellant is not in a position to

inform this Court anything about the whereabouts of the appellant.

4. The Trial Court is also directed to issue show-cause notice to the bailors of the appellant and to take necessary steps in accordance with law if they fail to secure the presence of the appellant before this Court.

5. Put up this case on 23rd of January, 2024.

6. Let a copy of this order be sent to the learned counsel for the Union of India and learned Court below, at once by the office.

7. Let the name of Mr. Tarun Kumar, learned A.P.P. and the name of learned Addl. Solicitor General of India be appeared in the cause list henceforth.

Put up this case on 23rd January, 2024.

(Sanjay Prasad, J.)

s.m.