

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI**

**Cr. Appeal (S.J) No. 764 of 2025**

Santosh Kumar Mishra ..... Appellant  
**Versus**  
1.The State of Jharkhand  
2.Complainant ..... Respondents

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**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY PRASAD**

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For the Appellant : Mr. Arvind Prajapati, Advocate  
For the State : Mr. Shailendra Kr. Tiwari, Spl.PP  
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**05/Dated:10<sup>th</sup> September, 2025**

Learned counsel for the appellant is directed to implead the complainant as Respondent No.2 in course of the day.

2. The learned APP is directed to get served notice of this Criminal Appeal upon the complainant-Respondent No.2 through the Superintendent of Police, Lohardaga in the light of judgment reported in *(2019) 2 SCC 703 (Nipun Saxena and Anr. vs. Union of India)* and shall file affidavit with regard to service of notice upon the complainant as Respondent No.2.

3. Call for the neatly typed copy of the case diary and statement of Victim lady recorded under Section 183 of BNSS and the Medical Report of the Victim girl, if any.

4. Put up this case after four weeks.

5. Let a copy of this order be sent by FAX to the office of Superintendent of Police, Lohardaga and be also handed over to the learned Spl.PP for the needful.

**(Sanjay Prasad, J.)**