

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
Cr. Appeal (DB) No. 1046 of 2024

Raghu Mahto Appellant(s)
Versus
The State of Jharkhand Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RONGON MUKHOPADHYAY
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMBUJ NATH

For the Appellant(s) : Mr. K. S. Nanda, Advocate
For the State : Mr. B. N. Ojha, Spl.P.P

03/ Dated 11.07.2025

I.A. No. 8533 of 2025

Heard Mr. K. S. Nanda, learned counsel for the appellant and Mr. B. N. Ojha,
learned Spl.P.P on behalf of the State.

This interlocutory application has been preferred by the appellant for grant of
bail to him during the pendency of this appeal.

Submission has been advanced by the learned counsel for the appellant that
the allegations are general and omnibus in nature and the only incriminating
circumstance seems to be that the deceased was last seen with the appellant and the
co-convict. It has also been submitted that one of the co-convicts Alok Dungdung has
been granted bail by this Court in Cr. Appeal (D.B.) No. 1008 of 2024.

Learned Spl. P.P. though, has opposed the prayer for bail but has not disputed
the aforesaid facts.

Regard being had to the above, we are inclined to admit the appellant on bail.
Accordingly, during the pendency of this appeal, the appellant is directed to be
released on bail, on furnishing bail bond of Rs. 10,000/- (Rs. Ten Thousand) with two
sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Additional Sessions
Judge-II, Gumla, in connection with S.T. Case No. 334/2015, arising out of Basia P.S.
Case No. 29/2015.

The aforesaid I.A. stands allowed and disposed of.

(Rongon Mukhopadhyay, J.)

(Ambuj Nath, J.)