

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

B.A. No. 7838 of 2026

Vina Devi		...	...	Petitioner
	Versus			
The State of Jharkhand		...	...	Opposite Party

CORAM: HON’BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANUBHA RAWAT CHOUDHARY

For the Petitioner	: Mrs. Vani Tiwari, Advocate
For the Opp. Party	: Mr. Satish Prasad, APP

03/20.08.2026

Learned counsels for the parties are present.

- 2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in custody since 19.06.2026 and happens to be cousin sister-in-law of the deceased. She has submitted that the informant is not the eye-witness to the occurrence and during investigation, it has come that the house was locked from inside and the petitioner lives in a separate house.
- 3. State is directed to serve notice upon the informant of the case and file a counter-affidavit on merits.
- 4. The counter-affidavit be filed 15th September 2026.
- 5. State is directed to produce up-to-date case-diary along with its enclosures and hand it over to the learned court master by 15th September, 2026.
- 6. The State is also directed to obtain the forensic report from the concerned authority and produce the same before this Court in sealed cover.
- 7. Post this case on 16th September, 2026.

(Anubha Rawat Choudhary, J.)

Date of Order:20.08.2026
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