

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
A. B. A. No. 6140 of 2025

Rijaful Khan @ Rejaful Khan, aged about 43 years, son of Alarul Khan,
resident of village Bikrampur, P.O. Satki, P.S. Bagdahari, District-Jamtara,
Jharkhand

..... ...Petitioner

Versus

The State of Jharkhand

..... ... Opposite Party

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR DWIVEDI

For the Petitioner

:Mr. Kaushik Sarkhel, Advocate

For the State

: Mr. Rakesh Kr. Sinha, A.P.P.

05/ 16.10.2025: Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

2. The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in connection with
Bagdehari PS Case No.03 of 2025, corresponding to GR Case No.196 of 2025,
for offence registered under section 317(5), 4(5) of BNS, 2023 and Section
30(ii) of Coal Mines Act, pending in court of learned Sub Divisional Judicial
Magistrate, Jamtara.

3. Learned counsel for petitioner submits that the name of the
petitioner has come in the confessional statement of the co-accused. He
further submits that the petitioner has nothing to do with the coal as loaded
on the vehicle and the petitioner has got no criminal antecedent as disclosed
in para 10. He further submits that co-accused has been granted anticipatory
bail in A.B.A. No. 5558 of 2025.

4. Learned State counsel opposes prayer and submits that petitioner
was also involved in the said crime.

5. Considering that petitioner's name has come in the confessional
statement of the co-accused and the petitioner has got no criminal
antecedent as disclosed in para 10. The co-accused has been granted
anticipatory bail in A.B.A. No. 5558 of 2025.

6. In the attending facts and circumstances of the case, I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to petitioner.

6. Accordingly, petitioner, above named, is hereby directed to surrender before learned court within three weeks from today, and in event of his surrender/arrest, petitioner, above named, shall be released on bail, on furnishing bail bond of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand), with two sureties of like amount each, to satisfaction of learned Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Jamtara, in connection with Bagdehari PS Case No.03 of 2025, corresponding to GR Case No.196 of 2025, subject to the conditions as laid down under section 482(2) of Bhartiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS), 2023.

Dt.16.10.2025

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(Sanjay Kumar Dwivedi, J.)