

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B.A. No. 8588 of 2025

Shanti Devi, aged about 60 years, wife of Devlal Yadav, resident of village
Selwar, P.O. & P.S. Hunterganj, District Chatra.

..... Petitioner(s)

Versus

The State of Jharkhand

..... Opp. Party

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMBUJ NATH

For the Petitioner(s) : Mrs. Sadhna Kumar, Advocate

For the State : Mr. Manoj Kr. Mishra, A.P. P.

02/ Dated 19.09.2025

Heard the parties.

The petitioner has been made accused in connection with Hunterganj
P.S. Case No. 113 of 2024, S.T. Case No.341 of 2024, for the offence under
Sections 302 & 201/34 of the Indian Penal Code, but the chargesheet
submitted for the offence under Sections 306/34 I.P.C., pending in the court
of Shri Satyapal, learned ADJ-II, Chatra.

Bail application of the petitioner was earlier rejected by this Court
vide B.A. No. 9528/2024, by order dated 10.02.2025.

Petitioner happens to be the mother-in-law of the deceased Kavita
Devi, who died due to asphyxia because of drowning.

It was submitted that after investigation, police has submitted
chargesheet under Sections 306/34 of the Indian Penal Code and the charge
has also been framed under this Section. It was further submitted that sister-
in-law of the deceased Reena Devi @ Kranti Devi @ Kanti Devi has been
granted bail by this Court in B.A. No. 3375/2025, by order dated
04.07.2025.

In view of the submission made above, I am inclined to release the
petitioner, on bail. Accordingly, the petitioner, named above, is directed to
be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty
Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each, to the satisfaction of
Shri Satyapal, learned ADJ-II, Chatra, in connection with Hunterganj P.S.
Case No. 113 of 2024, S.T. Case No.341 of 2024.

(Ambuj Nath, J.)