

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B.A No. 9234 of 2025

Arjun Bhuiyan, aged about 35 years, son of Late Jodhi Bhuiyan, Resident of Village Dakadiri, P.O. and P.S. Bariatu, District Latehar---

Petitioner

Versus

The State of Jharkhand

Opp. Party

CORAM: **Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ambuj Nath**

For the Petitioner: Mr. Abhay Kr. Chaturvedy, Advocate

For the O.P-State: Mr. Pankaj Kumar, P.P.

03 / 09.10.2025 Heard the parties.

2. Petitioner has been made accused in connection with Bariyatu P.S. Case No. 14 of 2025 corresponding to N.D.P.S. Case No. 13 of 2025 for the offences registered under sections 15(c), 17(c), 18(b), 22, 25 and 29 of the N.D.P.S. Act, pending in the court of learned Special Judge, NDPS, Latehar.

3. On 13.02.2025 at 12.00 noon, Bariatu Police on the basis of confidential information, destructed poppy cultivation from Budhisakhua Forest Area under the jurisdiction of Bariatu Police

4. It was submitted that the name of the petitioner has transpired on the basis of confidential information given by the villagers whose identity has not been disclosed by the prosecution. It was further submitted that several similarly situated co-accused persons have been granted bail by different Coordinate Benches of this court earlier.

5. In view of the submission made above, I am inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. Accordingly, the petitioner, above named, is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees twenty thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each, to the satisfaction of learned Special Judge, NDPS, Latehar in connection with Bariyatu P.S. Case No. 14 of 2025 corresponding to N.D.P.S. Case No. 13 of 2025.

(Ambuj Nath, J)

October 09, 2025

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