

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

F.A. No. 52 of 2021

Gunadhar Singh...	...	Appellant
	Versus	
Dhonibala Singh & Anr.		Respondents

**CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUJIT NARAYAN PRASAD
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY PRASAD**

For the Appellant	: Mr. Lalit Yadav, Advocate
For the Res. No.1	: Mr. Aniket Jaiswal, Advocate

Order No. 08 : Dated 18th March, 2026

1. This Court has issued notice upon both the respondents.
2. In pursuance thereto, the respondent no. 1 has appeared by filing vakalatnama through Mr. Aniket Jaiswal, learned counsel for respondent no. 1.
3. So far notice upon respondent no. 2 is concerned, it is evident from office note dated 10.02.2026, based upon the report of the process server that the notice has been validly served through her son, which has taken note in order dated 20th February, 2026. Therefore, in order give one more opportunity, the matter was adjourned to be listed on 18.03.2026, awaiting appearance of respondent no.2.
4. Office note dated 17.03.2026 reflects that vakalatnama on behalf of respondent no. 2 has not been filed.
5. This Court, in the aforesaid fact, is of the view that respondent no. 2 since has chosen not to appear in spite of

valid service of notice, as such the appeal is proceeded ex-
parte against respondent no. 2.

6. Admit.

7. Call for the trial court record.

(Sujit Narayan Prasad, J.)

(Sanjay Prasad, J.)

18th March, 2026

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