

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
A.B.A. No. 5583 of 2025

Sunil Kumar Singh, aged about 33 years Son of
Muneshwar Singh, Resident of village- Madgara,
P.O. Pitiz, P.S. Rajpur, District- Chatra.

..... ... Petitioner

Versus

State of Jharkhand.

..... ... Opposite Party

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR DWIVEDI

For the Petitioner : Mr. Binod Kumar Dubey, Advocate.

For the State : Mrs. Lily Sahay, A.P.P.

03/ 19.09.2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned A.P.P.
for the State.

2. The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in connection with Rajpur P.S. Case No. 70 of 2024, registered for the offences under Sections 303(2), 317(2) and 3(5) of Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023, Section 4/4(1A) of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957, Rule-54 of Jharkhand Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 2004, Rule 9 of the Jharkhand Minerals (Prevention of Illegal Mining Transportation and Storage) Rules, 2017, pending in the court of learned Judicial Magistrate, 1st Class, Chatra.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is the driver of the tractor in question and allegations are made that 100 CFT sand was being carried on the said tractor. He submits that the petitioner is having one criminal antecedent. He further submits that the owner of the said tractor has already been provided the privilege of anticipatory bail in A.B.A. No. 5037 of 2025 by this court.

4. Learned A.P.P. appearing for the State has opposed the prayer and submits that the petitioner is having one criminal antecedent

and further illegal sand was being carried on the tractor in question.

5. Considering that the petitioner is the driver of the tractor in question and the owner of the said vehicle has already been provided the privilege of anticipatory bail in the aforementioned A.B.A. and in that view of the matter the petitioner is directed to surrender before the learned Court within two weeks and the learned Court shall release the petitioner on such terms and conditions or the sureties as the learned Court may deem fit and proper.

(Sanjay Kumar Dwivedi, J.)

Dated:-19.09.2025
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