

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
Cr. Rev. (Filing) No. 21704 of 2025

Niraj Kumar

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Petitioner

Versus

The State of Jharkhand & Anr.

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Opposite Parties

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RONGON MUKHOPADHYAY

For the Petitioner : Mr. A.K. Rashidi, Adv.

For the O.P.s : A.C. to P.P.

I.A. No. 12911 of 2025.

04/04.05.2026 Heard Mr. A.K. Rashidi, learned counsel for the petitioner and learned A.C. to P.P.

This application has been preferred by the petitioner for grant of exemption to surrender in terms of Rule 159 of the Jharkhand High Court Rules.

Submission has been advanced by the learned counsel for the petitioner that three cases including the present case was instituted against the petitioner and out of the total amount of Rs. 9,50,000/-, the petitioner has already deposited an amount of Rs. 7,25,000/-. It has been submitted that so far as the present case is concerned, during the appellate stage, an amount of Rs. 47,500/- was already deposited by the petitioner. It has been submitted that considering the aforesaid facts in one of the cases being Cr. Rev. (Filing) No. 21978 of 2025, the petitioner was exempted to surrender by an order passed on 10.02.2026 by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court.

Learned A.C. to P.P. has opposed the prayer made in this application.

Regard being had to the fact that in similar circumstances, the petitioner has been exempted to surrender in one of the cases and a major part of the amount having already been deposited by the petitioner, the same is an exceptional circumstance and, therefore, considering the aforesaid, the petitioner is exempted to surrender in connection

with Complaint Case No. 10617/2022.

I.A. No. 1291 of 2025 stands disposed of.

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Issue notice to the opposite party no. 2 as to why this application shall not be admitted and/or disposed of at the admission stage itself, for which, requisites etc. under speed post as well as under ordinary process be filed by 11.06.2026.

Let this case be listed under the heading 'For Admission' after service of notice upon opposite party no. 2.

In the meantime, call for the trial court record.

(Rongon Mukhopadhyay, J.)

Dated- 04th May, 2026.

Preet/-

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