

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B.A. No. 10150 of 2025

Devendra Patar, aged about 35 years, son of Guruwa Patar, resident of village- Basahatu, P.O. & P.S.- Ichagarh, District- Seraikella- Kharsawan, at present resident of village- Hatudami, P.O. & P.S.- Khunti, District- Khunti, Jharkhand ... Petitioner

- Versus -

The State of Jharkhand

... Opp. Party

CORAM: - HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMBUJ NATH

For the Petitioner : Md. Imran Beig, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Bhola Nath Ojha, Spl.P.P.

02/24.11.2025

Heard the parties.

Petitioner has been made accused in connection with N.D.P.S. Case No. 29 of 2025 arising out of Khunti P.S. Case No. 25 of 2025 for the offences registered under sections 18(c) of the N.D.P.S. Act, pending in the court of learned Sessions Judge, N.D.P.S., Khunti.

On 04.02.2025, Khunti Police on the basis of confidential information, destroyed poppy cultivation from village- Posaiya.

It was submitted that petitioner and co-accused persons were apprehended by the police party. It was further submitted that the petitioner was hired as a labourer to work in the field. It was finally submitted that similarly situated co-accused persons have been granted bail by this Court as well as by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court earlier.

In view of the submissions 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 Sessions Judge, N.D.P.S., Khunti, in connection with N.D.P.S. Case No. 29 of 2025 arising out of Khunti P.S. Case No. 25 of 2025.

(Ambuj Nath, J.)