

Neutral Citation No. (2026:JHHC:7487)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

B.A. No. 11128 of 2025

Nitish Kumar Mandal	...	Petitioner
Versus		
The State of Jharkhand	...	Opposite Party

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RONGON MUKHOPADHYAY

For the Petitioner	: Mr. Pratiush Lala , Advocate
For the State	: A.P.P.

Order No. 04

Dated 18th March, 2026

Heard the learned counsel appearing for the respective parties.

The petitioner is an accused in connection with S.T. Case No. 140 of 2024 arising out of Muffasil P.S. Case No. 04 of 2024.

It has been alleged that the sister of the informant had died in her matrimonial house in unnatural circumstances.

Submission has been advanced by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the cause of death has not been ascertained. It has been submitted that in the viscera report, no poisonous substance was found on the body of the deceased. Learned counsel submits that the petitioner has been implicated only on account of the fact that there was a dispute relating to a mobile which led to a quarrel prior to the incident. The petitioner is in custody since 05.04.2025.

Learned A.P.P. has opposed the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

It appears that the petitioner is the husband of the deceased and as per the viscera report, no poisonous substance was found on the person of the deceased.

In fact the cause of death has not been properly ascertained and in such circumstances, therefore, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Additional Sessions Judge-I, Sahibganj in connection with S.T. Case No. 140 of 2024 arising out of Muffasil P.S. Case No. 04 of 2024.

(RONGON MUKHOPADHYAY,J.)